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Today—Mostly cloudy, followed by probable showers tonight.
Tomorrow — Warmer, probably showers.
Yesterday—High, 65; low, 34.
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House Silverites Fight to Retain Inflation 'Rider'

Roosevelt Plan for Army of 7 Million Workers Awaited by U. S.

Rep. Martin Would Avert Conference

New Agency Possible; CCC Camps to Absorb Transient Idle.

By Felix Bruner.

With the $4,880,000,000 works relief bill likely to become a law before the end of the week, the question of how and by whom the money is to be expended remained a mystery yesterday—but, if President Roosevelt's plans succeed, the greatest "army" ever formed in this country in peace or in war—an army of 7,000,000 workers—will be created.

The bill is intended to provide direct employment to 3,500,000 persons. President Roosevelt contends that for every person employed directly another will be given a job supplying materials or transportation, or in some other indirect manner.

Efforts to keep the bill from going to conference when it is returned to the House for concurrence in Senate amendments are expected from House silverites today. The Senate accepted the Thomas amendment providing for issuance of silver certificates at the full monetary value of bullion, $1.29 an ounce.

Friends of the inflationary amendment felt that the strategy of its opponents was to accept the amendment and then have it lopped off in conference. House silverites, led by Representative Martin (Democrat), Colorado, plan to meet today to agree upon their counter moves. It is expected they will insist on adoption of the bill as it now stands without reference to a conference committee.

CCC to Take Many.

Some of the mystery of what was to be done with the money was solved by the Senate amendment earmarking various sums for fairly specific purposes. But there is nothing in the bill saying who shall spend the money for these purposes or exactly how it shall be distributed.

The $880,000,000 will go toward financing present direct relief, pending operation of work relief. A sum equal to nearly a third of this amount, however, already has been transferred from PWA funds to the Relief Administration. Secretary Ickes has declared he expects this money to be paid back.

Meanwhile, the Relief Administration, under Harry L. Hopkins, has 2,250,000 persons on work relief This accounts, when dependents of these persons are taken into consideration, for half the 20,000,000 individuals receiving aid from the Government. These people are expected to be transferred gradually to the new works relief program.

Electrification in Doubt.

This will leave 1,250,000 persons now totally unemployed to be provided for. These workers are all on relief rolls. A large number of them are expected to be cared for in the enlarged Civilian Conservation Corps, for which $600,000,000 was earmarked. Many of these men probably will come from transient camps, which now house approximately 250,000.

A sum of $500,000,000 was provided for rural relief and rehabilitation. Rural rehabilitation work,

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Escapes Gang Bullets

Associated Press Photo.
THOMAS J. COURTNEY.

GangGunsFire On Prosecutor InChicagoWar

Rain of Lead Into Official Car Misses Courtney, Three Others.

By the United Press.

Chicago, March 24.—Chicago gangsters, who once achieved a certain toleration by confining their spot killings to themselves, made open warfare on the law today in an attempt to assassinate State's Attorney Thomas J. Courtney.

Courtney, riding home in his sedan with his bodyguard, chauffeur, and Alderman Harry E. Perry, was fired on eight times by three gunmen who drew alongside in another automobile.

No occupant of the Courtney machine was wounded. The first bullet, fired at a range of less than a yard, was deflected by a half-inch strip of metal in the rear side window where Courtney was seated. With this warning the passengers ducked to the floor and seven other shots were ineffective.

Those with Courtney and Perry were John Cronin, police detective assigned to Courtney's office, who also acts as chauffeur, and James McInerney, detective and bodyguard for the State's attorney.

The gunmen's machine fled south with the Courtney automobile in pursuit, the State's attorney and McInerney with drawn revolvers, but withholding fire for fear of injuring bystanders. They lost the car in a maze of streets on the South Side.

Declares Lid Off.

"The lid is off," Courtney said this afternoon. "We've had the heat on these mobsters for some time and from here on it's going to be hotter. That was the motive. They've lost their fattest pickings since repeal and they can't take it."

When the attempt on his life was made Courtney was returning home from a Loop hotel where he has maintained secret headquarters in recent months with Police Capt. Daniel Gilbert. There he has conferred three or four nights weekly, questioned witnesses and made plans to harass gangsters relentlessly.

Hoodlums with known gang connections have been arrested on sight whenever they appeared on the street in an effort to drive them

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Ancient Kings' Letters Found

700 B. C. Correspondence, in Bible Spelling, Is Reported.

By Jewish Telegraphic Agency.

Jerusalem, March 24.—The correspondence between two kings, dating back to the time of Jeremiah, 700 B. C., has been discovered by the archeological expedition led by Prof. J. L. Starkey, of Great Britain, it was learned today.

The discovery was made at Tel Ad-Duweir, the ancient city of Lachish. It consists of 12 ostraka fragments which are taken to be an exchange of secret letters between the kingdom of Judea and the kingdom of Babylon or Egypt.

The fragments carry inscriptions with Biblical spelling, all written in ink. The scripts are amazingly well preserved.

Details of the findings were made known to the Palestine government, but were not given out to the press. Prof. Starkey expects to find more fragments in other cities shortly to be excavated. Only then will he be in a position to issue a statement on the exact significance of his findings, it was explained.

Discoveries of great importance have been reported recently in Palestine by Prof. Starkey. His expedition unearthed porcelain archives almost 3,000 years old, regarded as a link corroborating Bible stories of the pre-Solomon era.

6 Die as Fire Traps Crowd InNightClub

12 Others Burned in Fleeing Night Club Near Chicago.

Panic-Stricken Revelers Jam Exit, Block Own Escape.

By the Associated Press.

Chicago, March 24.—Trapped by flames as fourscore revelers fought for one narrow exit, six persons died and a dozen were trampled and severely burned today in an inferno that destroyed the Club Rendezvous, night resort in suburban Morton Grove.

A tiny flicker that started in the cloakroom at the height of the merrymaking at 2:30 a. m. suddenly lit the little brick and frame roadhouse with streamers of fire.

Silk and crepe draperies caught, dancers and orchestra stood still a moment, then all made a rush for the exit.

The door opened inward. Some escaped. Others, witnesses related, shoved it shut and the door latched. Inside the crowd pushed, screamed, writhed and fought in the narrow corridor, but their pushing held tight the door to escape.

Checkroom Girl Dies.

Arlene Harvey, 22, checkroom girl, died at her post, unable to fight against the human tide.

Robert Wolfe, 23, caught behind the door while flames licked at his clothes and hair, screamed for aid and died while friends a few feet away, thrust back by the searing heat, strove to batter in the exit.

Fred Anderson, Northwestern University student from Eau Claire, Wis., made his way to safety and then reentered to seek his coat, and died.

The other victims, their bodies huddled in the areaway blocked by the closed door, were Jack Cocker, 21, of Cedar Rapids, also a Northwestern student; Miss Helen Johnson, Duluth, Minn., and James Hrosek, Chicago.

17 Others Make Escape.

Seventeen others, reaching safety through windows or dragged out by rescuers who forced the door or groped in through flames and smoke by a rear entry, were taken to hospitals in Evanston and other nearby suburbs by ambulances and motorists who chanced to pass the scene on Dempster road. Dozens more escaped with minor injuries.

A motorist smashed his car against the building, trying to ram open another avenue of escape, but it was futile. The roof finally collapsed on the handful still trapped, and the one-story resort was a furnace of flame and charred debris.

One Perishes in Blaze At Louisiana Beer Spot

By the Associated Press.

McComb, Miss., March 24.—One man perished and two others were seriously burned in a fire which destroyed the Kirkville Beer Garden in Louisiana 18 miles south of here early today. Origin of the fire was undetermined.

Louis Redon, 40, was overcome by smoke and burned to death while neighbors were ripping a portion off the side of the house in an effort to make a hole for him to escape. Michael Schneider, jr., 16, and Walter, 14, were painfully burned before they escaped through a window.

11-3 Billion Paid In On Treasury Bonds

Secretary Morgenthau announced yesterday that up to this time subscriptions aggregating $1,332,000,000 have been received for the current offering of 2⅞ per cent Treasury bonds of 1955-60, which are offered only in exchange for Fourth Liberty Loan Bonds called for redemption April 15. Subscription books for this offering will close at the close of business Wednesday.

Cherry Blooms Near as Spring Visits Capital

White Suits Seen on Parade as All D. C. Takes to Outdoors.

Washington enjoyed its first Sunday of spring yesterday.

A blush suffused the cherry trees around Tidal Basin, as days and days ahead of schedule, their pink blossoms reached the bud stage.

The National Capital Parks Office had estimated that cherry blossom time would not arrive until mid-April, but last night Superintendent C. Marshall Finnan said his experts would make a new inspection and prediction today.

"If the weather stays like this they may bloom a few days earlier than we had expected," Finnan said. "In the protected places, the buds are quite big already, and on the cherry tree on Meridian Hill, which always is ahead of time, the pink was quite noticeable today."

Last year, the blossoms came about April 15. Hope was expressed yesterday that the arrival might be as early as April 1, but that all depends on whether the weather is unmixed by cold spells.

All over town, flowers spread their bloom yesterday, many for

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New Deal Bars Move to Widen Money Control

Issue of 'Political' Versus 'Banker' Guidance Will Be Basis of Fight.

By Elliott Thurston.

An Administration spokesman made plain last night that the New Deal will not give in to the bankers on the vital issue of control over monetary policy.

The battle over the pending banking bill narrows down mainly to a fight over who is to exercise the three major controls—over open-market operations, changes in discount rates and changes in member-bank reserve requirements.

The present Administration plan, as advocated by Governor Eccles of the Federal Reserve Board, concentrates these powers in the board which would consult with a committee of five governors on Reserve banks. But they would have no real voice or vote. The Administration would keep the Secretary of the Treasury and the Comptroller of the Currency as ex-officio members of the board. And it would have power to remove the governor.

Bankers' Proposal.

Speaking through a special committee, the American Bankers Association advanced a counter-proposal whereby the board would be cut down to five members. The Secretary of the Treasury and the Comptroller would be excluded. Then four governors, chosen by the 12 governors of the Reserve banks annually, would sit with the board and have a vote on these controls. Under this arrangement one member of the Reserve Board joining with the four bank governors would constitute a majority of five. This would give the banks a curb, but not full control.

To this the Administration strenuously objects, or apparently to any other method giving the bankers a real voice and vote. As the Administration position is authoritatively outlined, the New Deal is ready to go to the mat to keep the bankers out and concentrate full

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Vets Will Flee FERA Camps If Bonus Wins

Its Payment Might Mean an Exodus From Units on Florida Keys.

Permanent Barracks Are Set Up, but Boys Would Head for Capital.

By Edward T. Folliard.

Islamorada, Fla., March 24.—If the bonus should be paid tomorrow, the chances are most of the World War veterans encamped down here under FERA projects would be heading north the next day. Many of them admit as much. They concede that the Florida Keys are enchanting, that the food is even better than in the Army and that the pay is "pretty fair," but none of these things would hold them here if a bonus of $600 or $700 came along.

There is Stanley Warman, for example. He took part in the Washington bonus riots of 1932, and he saw the veteran, Hasks, killed by a policeman's bullet. Warman is feeling romantic these days, he is engaged. Cupid, however, is being held at bay until Wright Patman goes over the top on Capitol Hill.

"Boy, if I get my bonus," says Warman, "I am really going to get myself hooked up."

A lot of the other veterans already are "hooked up." Many of them undoubtedly would start home if they got their bonus money.

However, nothwithstanding this readiness for flight on the part of so many veterans, the FERA, which is footing the bill down there, is putting up camps which apparently are meant to endure.

Work Not All.

It may be that Washington is convinced that the Senate will not pass the bonus bill over President Roosevelt's veto. Or the thought may be this—that even if the veterans do get their bonus, they will spend it quickly and then start drifting in to the National Capital.

Anyway, from the looks of what is being done, the program is of the long-range variety.

This certainly is not because Florida is using the veterans to help build a bridge connecting the Keys hereabouts. The work part of the program is only incidental. The primary object is to "rehabilitate" the veterans and the colony nearest here is officially called "Veterans Rehabilitation Camp No. 1."

The veterans were sent here from Washington because these little islands happen to be blessed with a marvelous climate and great natural beauty. Tired business men found that out as far back as when the Spanish were in control, and they still come here after tarpon and what Mr. Roosevelt calls the "savage barracuda."

Under the Florida veterans rehabilitation program, as Capt. William Hinchman, a FERA trouble shooter from Washington, styles it, there are six camps for erstwhile soldiers, sailors and marines.

Battle Mosquitoes.

The 250 men in No. 1 are assigned to cutting stone in a nearby quarry. This stone, removed with saws, is sent to Camp No. 3, where are located the veterans who actually are helping contruct the bridge.

Camp No. 2 is on Mullet Key. It is made up of 85 negro veterans, whose job is to battle mosquitoes. These disease-breeding pests get pretty bad here for a brief period every year, and natives tell of seeing them so thick as to blacken a barn.

Camp No. 4 is at Clearwater, on the west coast of Florida. That really is a conditioning camp. For two weeks or so after their arrival

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Nazis Cheer 2 Britons; Parley to Open Today; U.S. Tests Air Armada

Where Two Were Hurt in Air Crash

Wreckage of the observation plane which struck a wire while attempting a landing at Bolling Field yesterday, injuring two men.

Two Are Hurt As Army Plane Crashes Here

Officers Are Pinned Under Wreckage in Crack-up at Bolling Field.

An Air Corps Reserve officer, pilot of a two-seated observation plane, and his passenger, an Army corporal, were injured seriously yesterday when their ship struck a high-tension wire and crashed at Bolling Field.

The pilot, Capt. William S. Kenyon, Air Corps Reserve, and his passenger-mechanic, Corpl. Robert S. Mulvin, attached to Bolling Field, were pinned in tangled wreckage for several minutes before field attaches could free them.

Dazed, but still conscious, the men finally were pulled from the twisted framework and taken to the Naval Hospital, whence they were transferred to Walter Reed Hospital. Bolling Field officials said that Capt. Kenyon apparently was practicing landings and failed to see high-tension wires at the edge of the field. The plane's left wing struck the wire and the ship nosed into the ground.

Crash Squad on Hand.

Members of the Naval Air Station "crash squad," several of whom witnessed the accident, drove to the scene in an ambulance. Capt. Kenyon had stopped the ship's engine and prevented fire. Corpl. Mulvin, in the rear cockpit, was lifted from the wreckage with little difficulty. The captain, however, was pinned in the smashed steel framework and it was several minutes before he was extricated.

The plane was damaged beyond repair. En route to the hospital, members of the rescue squad said, Capt. Kenyon and Corpl. Mulvin mumbled incoherently and appeared unable to remember what happened.

"What did we hit—what happened?" Capt. Kenyon was quoted as repeating.

Field officials said a shift of wind was responsible for the crash. Witnesses reported Capt. Kenyon had

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Air Battleships Flown by Navy In Secret Tests

30 Mighty Planes of War to Cost $150,000 Each; One at Norfolk.

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The Navy is conducting experiments that may result in the formation of a first-line defense of 30 "flying battleships," it was learned last night.

The giant fighting planes will carry both bombs and machine guns and will be among the most deadly instruments of war ever constructed.

Much secrecy has been thrown around tests being made with one of these ships on the West Coast. A similar ship now is based at Norfolk, Va., and will be ready for trial flights soon, it was learned. If these two planes prove to be successful, the Navy is prepared to pay $150,000 each for a fleet of them. It would take a year to build them.

At the Navy Department it was said that the plane on the West Coast already had passed the preliminary, or contractor's test. Naval officers now are giving it a final test to determine its potential fighting ability. That ship is known as XP3D-1. It has a wing spread of 100 feet, two 830-horsepower motors, six machine guns and can carry two tons of bombs. There are accommodations for a crew of eight.

Guards Ring Ship.

It was said that the large Douglas Aircraft Co.'s plant at Santa Monica, Calif., was too small to accommodate the hull of the giant ship and that a pit had to be dug inside the factory.

The Navy jealously guards its aircraft secrets, and part of the ship was trundled out to the water before dawn. The official explanation of this was that the Navy wanted to avoid congesting traffic, but reports from the West Coast said a ring of guards was around the plane when it was assembled and that onlookers were forbidden

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Simon, Eden Arrive to Seek a Compromise in Arms Crisis.

Paris Today Votes Super-Warships

Austria Asks Powers for Leave to Trebble Army to 100,000.

By the United Press.

Berlin, March 24.—The peace of Europe tonight appeared to hang on the success or failure of a British mission, here to confer tomorrow with Reichsfuehrer Adolf Hitler on his rearmament program in violation of the Treaty of Versailles.

Thousands lined the streets of Berlin this evening to cheer the British statesmen as they drove to their hotel in famous Unter Den Linden, two minutes from the chancellory where they meet der Fuehrer in vital conversations tomorrow and Tuesday.

The statesmen, Sir John Simon, British foreign secretary, and Capt. Anthony Eden, lord privy seal, arrived by airplane via Amsterdam. They were met at the airport by the British ambassador, Sir Eric Phipps, and a German delegation headed by the foreign minister, Baron Konstantin von Neurath.

Hitler Reaches City.

A Sunday throng gathered at Templehof Airport, outside Berlin, cheered them lustily as their plane landed. Sir John and Baron von Neurath exchanged brief greetings. A company of Hitler's elite Storm Troops formed a guard of honor. Aside from that, however, there was little military display in connection with their reception.

Hitler flew to Berlin from the South, arriving shortly after noon to prepare for the conferences which are expected to decide whether the Reich returns to Geneva and enters the skein of interlocking peace pacts which France, Italy and England have evolved in recent months of almost constant intergovernmental negotiations.

Later the British envoys conferred with Von Neurath for an hour at the British Embassy prior to a dinner for the visiting Britishers. They discussed procedure, agreeding that Simon and Eden should visit the foreign ministry Monday and arrange later to talk wth Chancellor Hitler.

Will Tour East Europe.

Clarification of the disturbed international situation awaits the outcome of this conference, on which the eyes of Europe centered in the fervent hope the British might be able to bring the Germans to a compromise which would avert the necessity of force to maintain the treaties.

Sir John and Eden, it was emphasized following yesterday's three-power parley in Paris, represent Great Britain only, however, and will not speak in behalf of France and Italy.

Nevertheless, the entire situation pivots on the outcome of the meeting.

Sir John is commissioned to discover where Hitler stands and just how far he will be willing to go

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Carolina to Jail Convicts' Guard

Special Dispatch to The Post.

Danville, Va., March 24.—Raymond Taylor, a guard at the North Carolina convict camp at Wentworth, N. C., near here, must serve 30 days on the roads for attempting to force "Shag" Price, a prisoner, to take a dose of castor oil which had been prescribed for him. A fine of $10 also was levied.

Price claimed that when he refused the oil he was dragged from his bed and kicked about the floor.

Dr. John Ray testified that the oil was prescribed for him and admitted under questioning that when he examined Price later he had found bruises on his abdomen.

The guard testified that Price answered him sharply when he was told to take the medicine.

Hoover Just 'Out-Hoovered' By Roosevelt, Huey Long Says

Ex-President Has No Right to Complain, Louisianian Holds in Likening Both to 'Owls' Using Different Methods of Raiding Hen Roosts.

By the Associated Press.

Political speculation stirred by Herbert Hoover's call for action from the G. O. P. yesterday brought from Senator Huey P. Long a statement that the former President has "no right to complain because he has just been out-Hoovered by President Roosevelt."

The "Kingfish," just back from Louisiana, chuckled over the move to stimulate the Republican Party.

"I can't understand for the life of me why Mr. Hoover is complaining, except he mus be jealous of Mr. Roosevelt," Long said. "The truth of the matter is that Mr. Roosevelt has just out-Hoovered Hoover."

Long has been mentioned as a possible candidate against Mr. Roosevelt for the Democratic nomination in 1936, and as the prospective head of a new third party left-wing ticket. All his assaults on the Roosevelt Administration are viewed by old line Democrats as laying the foundation for a presidential campaign.

Most of the party stalwarts privately said Hoover's letter to the California Republicans yesterday would tend to strengthen party unity not only in Congress but throughout the country. They argued, too, that Long's continued attacks would drive some conservatives, who have been straying, back to the party reservation.

Back from a trip to Louisiana and a speech yesterday in Columbia, S. C., on his "share-our-wealth" program, Long surveyed the Hoover-Roosevelt situation and said:

"Mr. Roosevelt just adopted Mr. Hoover's policies. Hoover told them to plow up every fourth row of cotton. But Roosevelt went him one better and had 'em plow up every third row.

"The difference now is that under Roosevelt we have 6,000,000 more unemployed than under Hoover. Hoover made the national debt $19,000,000,000 while Roosevelt has made it $30,000,000,000, and pretty soon its going up $5,000,000,000 more."

Quickly shifting into a different mood, Long said:

"Hoover and Roosevelt are like two owls. Hoover is a hoot owl and Roosevelt is a 'screotch' (screech) owl. I know about owls because when I was a boy I used to sit out in the backyard at night with a shotgun and watch for owls at the hen roost.

"A hoot owl bangs into the roost and knocks the hen clean off and

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Glass Will Push Fight to Curb Rambling Debate in the Senate

By the Associated Press.

Although the Senate has passed the relief bill, Senator Glass (Democrat), Virginia, said yesterday he would insist that the committee on rules report out his resolution to change the Senate rules on debate.

Introduced in the midst of the long discussion on the relief measure, the resolution would confine debate to "relevant" discourse when an appropriation bill is up for consideration.

Senator Glass, at the time he introduced the resolution, and yesterday, admitted little hope for its adoption—and several Senators said privately the resolution is well on its way to oblivion.

Senator Long (Democrat), Louisiana; Senator Nye (Republican), North Dakota, and Senator Thomas (Democrat), Oklahoma, said they believed the resolution never would leave the committee.

Glass said he had in mind no particular Senator in introducing the resolution, "but I have in mind all Senators. It has seemed to me perfectly ridiculous that the Senate should sit here day after day and have to listen to speeches which have no relevancy whatever to appropriation bills under consideration.

"If possible, I desire to put a stop to it. I do not believe the resolution will ever come out of the committee, but I want it referred."

The passage of the relief bill has not altered the need for the rule change, Glass said.

Several Senators said they believed the resolution was aimed at Senator Long, who reviewed a number of subjects while the relief bill was pending.

Thomas had little patience with the intent of the resolution.

"I'm against it," he said. "We've been getting along all right over here for 150 years. Why change the rules? If they want to put the House rules in effect over here, that's something else."

Nye opposed the resolution as a movement to restrict freedom of debate.

Flying Duchess of Bedford, 69, Feared Lost in Flight to Africa

By the Associated Press.

London, Monday, March 25.—England's 69-year-old "Flying Duchess," the wife of the Duke of Bedford, was feared lost today in her small plane somewhere on the route of a 3,000-mile flight to South Africa.

Accompanied by her pilot, Flight Lieut. Preston, the duchess took off five days ago and nothing has been heard from her since, the Daily Express says.

Grave anxiety for the safety of his adventurous wife was expressed at his estate, Woburn Abbey, by the duke, who was an aide de camp to the late King Edward VII and then to King George V.

The duchess planned to fly over the Atlas Mountains, Morocco, across the Sahara to Nigeria, and thence to Khartum, returning to London via the Imperial Airways route.

Despite her years, the Duchess of Bedford is one of Britain's most enthusiastic and daring airwomen.

She made a record flight to India and back in 7½ days with Capt. Barnard as pilot in 1929 and a record flight to Cape Town the following year in 20 days with the same pilot. She obtained a pilot's "A" license in 1933, when she was 69 years old. The duchess is a member of the Society of Radiographers.

Suicide of Doctor Remains a Mystery

Framingham, Mass., March 24 (AP). The "why" in the suicide of Dr. George H. Bigelow, former director of the Massachusetts General Hospital, was shrouded in mystery tonight.

The body of the 44-year-old former State commissioner of public health, missing since December 3, was found floating in a reservoir late yesterday afternoon and a medical examiner pronounced death due to drowning with suicidal intent.

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SEC to Launch Intense Drive On Stock Fraud

Plans Nearly Ready for National Campaign, Kennedy Says.

By the Associated Press.

Chairman Joseph P. Kennedy, of the Securities and Exchange Commission, said yesterday that preparations virtually had been completed for a "no quarter" campaign against stock swindlers.

He chuckled grimly as he said that he evidently had been put on the "sucker list."

"At least," he smiled, "I got a letter from one of them myself. And the security wasn't even registered with the commission, as the law insists."

"First," he said, "we are setting up seven regional offices in strategic locations throughout the country, and this number may be increased. The offices are staffed with experts, men who know the securities business inside and out.

Duties of Offices.

"Their job is to watch the stock markets in their regions for signs of manipulation; to check on securities that should be but are not registered with the commission; to investigate complaints, and to look around for fraud on their own hook.

"We have worked a procedure with State commissions so that they tell us their troubles and we tell them ours," Kennedy continued. "By a system of cross-filing, we hope to have complete data on every known swindler, and to learn about new ones quickly as they spring up.

"We have had excellent cooperation from the States, and we'll help them in every possible way.

"Through newspapers and radio in the regions covered by our offices, we shall inform the public of stock fraud devices being used, and how to watch out for particular schemes and individuals. On a national scale, we expect to make both radio and moving picture interviews.

"Another plan involves the detailed cooperation of our offices with chambers of commerce, better business bureaus and allied organizations. Give us the complaint, we'll do the rest.

Work With Speed.

"And here's how fast: A complaint came from a Middle Western town. At 10 in the morning, a flying squadron of the commission landed on the security seller in question, issued subpenas, examined the books, examined office employes, established insolvency of the firm, filed a bill in equity, received a permanent injunction, turned the evidence over to the district attorney, and by 10 in the evening the squadron was on the way to Chicago.

"We got into another place quick enough to gather up some $600,000 which the swindler hadn't had time to run with, and turn it back to the suckers."

A steady increase in the volume of trading on the country's principal stock exchanges was indicated by a report of the Securities Exchange Commission yesterday.

The total for 22 exchanges during the four months ending with January was $4,253,274,778. By months, this business was divided as follows: October, $846,270,000; November, $1,051,192,000; December, $1,154,083,000; January, $1,201,000,000.

The New York Stock Exchange was first in the country during the period with a turnover of $3,636,783,675. The New York Curb Exchange was second with $451,748,713.

Record of Trading.

Others, in order of their volume, follow:

Boston Stock Exchange—$59,282,000.

Chicago Stock Exchange—$27,279,000.

Philadelphia Stock Exchange—$17,347,000.

San Francisco Stock Exchange—$17,113,250.

Los Angeles Stock Exchange—$10,484,000.

Detroit Stock Exchange—$9,804,000.

Pittsburgh Stock Exchange—$4,672,000.

San Francisco Curb Exchange—$4,455,000.

New York Produce Exchange—$3,655,000.

Cleveland Stock Exchange—$2,681,000.

Baltimore Stock Exchange—$1,939,000.

Cincinnati Stock Exchange—$1,364,000.

New Orleans Stock Exchange—$1,362,000.

St. Louis Stock Exchange—$869,396.

Chicago Board of Trade—$726,886.

Washington, D. C., Stock Exchange—$626,648.

Denver Stock Exchange—$452,248.

Salt Lake Stock Exchange—$421,978.

Buffalo Stock Exchange—$169,640.

New York Real Estate Exchange—$32,000.

New Registrations.

The commission also announced details of 17 new security registrations which brought the total for the month up to the $180,000,000 figure announced last week. The total for last week was $62,050,173, of which $12,751,173 was represented by new issues.

Included in the total was the previously announced issue of $24,649,500 of certificates of deposit for gold notes of the Standard Gas & Electric Co. and a similar amount of the notes themselves registered by the company in a plan of reorganization.

Details of the registrations follow:

Darwin Gold Mines, Ltd., of Toronto, Canada, seeking to issue 500,000 shares of $1 par value common stock at 25 cents a share.

The Cleveland Graphite Bronze Co., of Cleveland, Ohio. Certain shareholders of the issuer propose to offer a minimum of 10,000 shares of no par common stock of their holdings for sale to the public through underwriters at $34 a share until said shares have been listed on a national securities exchange, at which time it is proposed to offer such shares at the market price.

American Credit Corporation, of Los Angeles, Calif., seeking to issue 20,000 shares of $10 par value preferred stock and 65,000 shares of $5 par value class A common stock, both to be offered at par, and 20,000 shares of class B common stock with a stated value of 25 cents a share, which will be issued to the holder of the outstanding class B common voting stock of Consumers Discount Co.

Pennsylvania Petroleum Producers Trust, of Bradford, Pa., seeking to issue 2,000 shares of $100 par value units of beneficial interest in trust estate, to be offered at par.

MacJoe Sturgeon Gold Mines, Ltd., of Toronto, Canada., seeking to issue 500,000 shares of $1 par value common stock, to be offered at 35 cents a share.

Metropolitan District New Homes Corporation, of New York City, seeking to issue 5,000 5 per cent three-year trust certificates, to be offered at $100 each, for a total offering of $500,000.

United Biscuit Co. of America, of Chicago, Ill. seeking to issue $5,000,000 of 5 per cent debenture bonds due April 1, 1950. The proposed maximum offering price to the public is $101 and accrued interest to date of delivery, with a maximum aggregate offering price of $5,050,000. The underwriters are Goldman, Sachs & Co., Lehman Bros., Blyth & Co., Inc., and Kidder, Peabody & Co. They are each to underwrite $1,250,000. The proceeds are to be used as follows: To redeem at 103½ all of the $2,880,000 of 15-year 6 per cent debentures due November 1, 1942; to retire entire indebtedness of Chicago Carlton Co. owed to Central Manufacturing District on December 31, 1934, $562,117.08; to retire current notes payable of the registrant outstanding at the date of filing, $280,000; to be retained in the treasury as cash or advanced to subsidiaries to finance the ordinary conduct of business or to be used for possible plant construction, expansion or improvements, $941,532.92.

Canadian Investment Fund, Ltd., of Montreal, Canada, seeking to issue 1,000,000 special shares of $1 (Canadian) par value capital stock. These shares are to be offered at liquidating value plus a premium of 9½ per cent. As of March 5, 1935, this price would have amounted to $3.56 a share (United States).

Providence Consolidated Gold Mines Co., of Reno, Nev., seeking to issue 375,000 shares of $1 par value common stock, to be offered at 50 cents a share.

Bay City Rice Mills, Inc., of Bay City, Tex., seeking to issue $200,000 of ten-year 5 per cent sinking fund bonds, to be offered at 95.

Standard Gas & Electric Co., of Chicago, Ill., seeking to issue certificates of deposit for $14,823,000 principal amount of its own 20-year 6 per cent gold notes, and $8,826,500 principal amount of its own 6 per cent convertible gold notes, both due October 1, 1935, in a plan to extend the maturity of both note issues to October 1, 1940. The market value of securities to be called for deposit is given as $10,106,298.

Standard Gas & Electric Co., of Chicago, Ill., seeking to issue $14,823,000 principal amount of 20-year 6 per cent gold notes (extended) due October 1, 1940, and $8,826,500 principal amount of 6 per cent convertible gold notes (extended) due October 1, 1940, in exchange for the issues to be called for deposit.

Travis Holding Corporation, of Travis, Richmond County, N. Y., seeking to issue 6,820 shares of $50 par value common stock. These shares are to be offered at $75 a share to holders of an equivalent number of B preferred shares of Sandura-Wild Corporation.

Fremont Gold Mines, Inc., of New York City, seeking to issue 400,000 shares of $1 par value common stock, to be offered at 50 cents a share.

Doris Ruby Mining Co., of Buena Vista, Colo., seeking to issue 123,998 shares of $1 par value common stock, to be offered at par.

Pennsylvania Engineering Works, of New Castle, Pa., seeking to issue $500,000 of five-year 6 per cent convertible first mortgage bonds, to be offered at $95 for every $100 bond.

Pennsylvania Engineering Corporation, of Pittsburgh, Pa., seeking to issue 300,000 shares of no-par common stock, 100,000 shares at $3 per share to be reserved for conversion privileges of five-year 6 per cent convertible bonds and 5,000 shares which holders of the above bonds are entitled to purchase at $2.50 per share for each $100 bond held.

In Congress

Senate, House Activities Summarized.

TODAY.

Senate.

Not in session.

Banking Committee meets on extending HOLC funds.

Finance Committee resumes NRA inquiry.

House.

Meets at noon.

Will consider District legislation.

Ways and Means Committee will discuss Wagner-Lewis economic security program.

Between You and Me

Hoover, if Removed From Presidential Picture, Can Speak With Great Weight to U. S. Audience.

By Raymond Clapper

HERBERT HOOVER'S place in the political picture at the moment appears to be about as follows:

A large number of persons have accumulated grievances during the first two years of the Roosevelt Administration. There have been disappointments. Some eggs have been broken in the making of the New Deal omelet. Toes have been stepped on. High hopes of quick reemployment have not been fulfilled. Numerous business men, large and small, have been subjected to controls which have seemed onerous. The high cost of living is making city consumers wonder whether a higher price level is an unmixed blessing. AAA's attempt at a controlled agricultural economy has been impaired by the inability to guess the weather in advance.

The situation is much like that which Republicans had at the end of the war when they were able to appeal to diverse interests which had suffered. It is like that which the Democrats had in the Hoover Administration when they played upon the accumulated grievances of the people.

Mr. Hoover, in his letter to young Republicans of California, has attempted to appeal to many of these aggrieved elements. He has made himself a vehicle for giving expression to their disappointments and misgivings. His message came at the right moment to awaken the opposition and to help make it articulate.

That, it would appear, is his chief function in the situation today.

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It does not follow that Mr. Hoover will be the party candidate next year. For years Borah has been crystallizing public sentiment without being seriously considered as a presidential candidate. There is serious doubt whether Mr. Hoover would be interested in another try at the presidency.

Renomination is not likely to be handed to him on a silver platter, either through manipulations of party insiders or through popular pressure. If the insiders control the nomination they are likely to go elsewhere for a candidate. Mr. Hoover never was popular with the group now in control, led by Hilles, of New York. They do not want to have to go through a campaign fighting again over the record of Mr. Hoover's last two years which is where the Democrats would turn the heat. If the nomination is decided not by inside manipulation but by popular pressure, there again is little likelihood that Hoover would be the beneficiary. Delegates chosen by the primary system are hardly likely to be Hover delegates this time.

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If there seems to be little place at present for Mr. Hoover in the presidential picture, there is a large opportunity of another kind awaiting him. He is the only regular Republican who commands Nation-wide attention at the moment.

He could render a large service in the stimulation of public discussion. But he is handicapped by remaining in the field of potential presidential candidates. So long as a man thinks of himself in terms of a prospective candidate he shackles himself with ball and chain. So long as people think he is a candidate they discount what he says. But if he once and for all chased away the presidential bee and made it clear that he had done so, he would be in a position to speak without fear or favor and his words would carry far greater weight. He could then function as an elder statesman.

As the situation stands now, every time a Republican leader crosses the country and visits Mr. Hoover a political plot is suspected. Republicans are wondering, for instance, what Ogden Mills has been doing at Palo Alto the last few days. Other Republican leaders would like to go out and discuss the political situation with him, but they hesitate to do so lest it be suspected there is some Hoover presidential monkey business afoot.

But until Mr. Hoover does firmly remove himself as a prospective nominee, his every action will be viewed with suspicion and will set up new frictions within the Republican Party. The advice which he, by his experience, has a right to give the country at this time goes on the market subject to a heavy political discount. But outspoken advice, free of the suspicion of personal political interest, might help orient the party as it flounders for a solid rock on which to set its feet.

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Undoubtedly there is a growing public weariness with the increasing complexity of Federal activities which is reacting against New Deal experiments. Numerous signs point to a State of disillusionment and a longing to go back to the simple life of prewar days. But the force of events moves relentlessly the other way.

Defending Federal control of securities and exchanges, Chairman Joseph P. Kennedy, of the Securities Exchange Commission, quoted what Elihu Root said 20 years ago:

"As any community passes from simple to the complex conditions the only way in which the Government can deal with the increased burdens thrown upon it is by the delegation of power to be exercised in detail by subordinate agents, subject to the control of general directions prescribed by superior authority. * * *

"There can be no withdrawal from these experiments. We shall go on, we shall expand them, whether we approve theoretically or not, because such agencies furnish protection to rights and obstacles to wrong doing, which under our social and industrial conditions can not be practically accomplished by the old and simple procedure of Legislatures and courts."

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The elder Morgan put it more bluntly when said: "The time is coming when all business will have to be done with glass pockets."

Landon in City For Conference On Drought Aid

Kansas Governor to Discuss Relief Problems With Wallace, Ickes.

Assistance for Kansas farmers in solving their drought problems will be sought in Washington today by Gov. Alfred M. Landon of Kansas, who arrived in the city yesterday.

Gov. Landon said he had two purposes in coming here: First, a discussion of the drought and farm relief situation with Secretary Wallace, and, second, to determine, if possible, on what basis work relief funds will be distributed.

Gov. Landon will see Secretary Wallace today and will discuss public works with Secretary Ickes tomorrow. He said he expected to see President Roosevelt some time before he returns to Kansas Wednesday.

The Kansas Governor declined to comment either on Administration farm policies or on politics. He said conditions, because of the weather, are serious in the Middle West and that these conditions were his immediate problem.

Asked concerning reports that he might be a candidate for the Republican nomination for President, he replied:

"I've got a pretty big job now being Governor of Kansas."

League to Study Pacts on Trading

U. S. Represented as Group Begins Survey.

By the Associated Press.

Geneva, March 24.—Through a special committee of experts, with the United States represented, the League of Nations begins tomorrow an investigation of the so-called compensation and clearing agreements and their value to world economic recovery.

In a desperate attempt to canalize their trade, nations have entered into about a hundred of these agreements. The prevailing opinion at Geneva is that the accords are makeshift measures which do not contribute to world rehabilitation because they impede the free flow of commerce.

Oscar B. Ryder, of the United States Tariff Commission, will represent Washington at these meetings. The experts were named by the economic and financial committees of the league, by authorization of the last assembly.

Constitution's Signing Hailed In Philippines

Torchlight Parades, Fetes Mark Island's Start Toward Liberty.

By the Associated Press.

Manila, March 24.—The Philippines set out joyously today on the road to independence.

Throughout the night the people celebrated as word flashed from village to village in the provinces that President Roosevelt had approved the proposed constitution for Commonwealth government that is scheduled to be replaced by a republic ten years hence.

The celebration was unexpectedly noisier in the outland than in Manila. Hundreds of torchlight parades were staged in the provinces. Some of these even caused consternation because the more remote villagers were not aware of the time of the signing and thought the bells and whistles heralded a fire.

Leaders in Manila expressed satisfaction, believing the largest step in their future already had been taken.

There was an undercurrent talk of the possibility of making the Commonwealth government permanent instead of replacing it by a wholly independent republic in another decade. However, no leader would speak publicly, especially in the absence of Manuel Quezon, president of the new government.

Plebiscite Planned.

The Insular Legislature will meet April 8 to pass a bill authorizing a plebiscite at which the people will either ratify or reject the Commonwealth constitution.

Almost unanimous acceptance appeared certain. The only opposition arising thus far has been from Emilio Aguinaldo, leader of an insurrection in 1898 against American rule, and from the "Sakdal"—the Communist party.

Aguinaldo was disgruntled at recent harsh treatment from politicians concerning his private estates, some of which he was forced to relinquish.

The bill authorizing the plebiscite, already drawn, appropriates 150,000 pesos (roughly $75,000) for the balloting expense. It extends the ballot to women who qualified and to residents in the non-Christian provinces, where special boards are to be provided.

Three million ballots are being printed. They quote, in effect, Article IV of the Tydings act passed by the American Congress, as follows:

"A favorable vote on the constitution will be considered an expression favorable to independence. An opposing vote means the present government continues."

Coalition Sought.

Politicians imemdiately went to work on plans for coalition of the major parties, which appeared assured. Officers of the government already decided upon besides Quezon include Senator Sergio Osmena as vice president, with the education portfolio; Manuel Roxas, president speaker of the House, as speaker of the assembly, and Claro Recto, head of the recent constitutional convention, as a justice of the supreme court.

It was said Roxas might be given the alternate choice of a resident commissioner in Washington.

American opinion here on the big step toward independence remained extremely conservative, and seemed to be awaiting the next move.

Some Filipinos believe the economic provisions of the Tydings act are bad and should be changed, but are chary of making any alterations in the political provisions. Some Americans believe both economic and political provisions should be changed.

Governor General Frank Murphy, in Washington for the presidential approval of the constitution, cabled congratulations to the Filipino people.

He expressed hope the signing would bring "happiness and confidence into your homes."

The commonwealth government will allow the Philippines to manage their own affairs subject to a few important exceptions. The United States will be represented here by a high commissioner.

Barbara to Disown U. S. Unless 'Tormenting' Ends, Maids Warn

Loss of Princess and Her Fortune Threatened; She Hides on Ship.

By the Associated Press.

Aboard S. S. Bremen, March 24. America will lose Princess Barbara Hutton Mdivani and her money for keeps if it doesn't quit "tormenting" her, the princess' two personal maids warned today.

While Barbara amused herself with her phonograph in the solitude of her suite, bound for Reno and divorce, the two maids apparently were not included in orders to the former Miss Hutton not to talk, wirelessed her from New York.

Swedish Karin Gustafson, 41, and French Simon Chibleur, 29, pictured their mistress as a poor little rich girl who feels terribly hurt because she thinks the world has turned thumbs down on her. Mlle. Chibleur did the talking for the two.

"She (Princess Mdivani) has done plenty for Americans," the maid said, almost in tears. "What have they done to her? They have tormented her and made her visits to America always very distasteful with slanderous accusations. Last year she had to flee like a convict from an inquisitive populace.

"The press should ask institutions that she has richly endowed to come forth and tell what they have received, as well as the many prominent people she has helped."

The Woolworth 5-and-10-cent store heiress has received a wireless from her New York attorney instructing her to issue no more statements until he sees her.

The princess' cousin, James Woolworth Donahue, told passengers last night that she was ill and had gone to bed without her dinner, drinking only a cup of black coffee.

Before boarding the Bremen yesterday at Southampton the heiress said that in the future all her gifts to charity will be made public.

She expressed her dislike for the well-organized charity campaigns in England, in which rich visitors are asked several times for contributions. It was learned the princess eluded these appeals. She plans to keep her charitable gifts in America.

Exodus Started As Dust Storms Rage On in West

12th Day of Blinding Gales Sees Wide Area Facing Utter Ruin.

By the Associated Press.

Springfield, Colo., March 24.—Mountainous columns of powdered soil still smothered southeastern Colorado and nearby portions of Kansas and Oklahoma today, burying wheat fields and pasture lands, fences and farm machinery.

It was the twelfth consecutive day of howling gales and blinding dust for residents of Baca and Prowers counties, in Colorado.

No longer do they find the storm a phenomenon. It has become a roaring menace to their existence, rapidly erasing the slight means of subsistence they had salvaged from four successive years of extreme drought.

Exodus Starts.

An exodus of residents of the stricken farm areas has been started. Kenneth Welch, Baca County relief administrator, said today at least 100 families in the past week have sought Federal funds with which to seek refuge elsewhere.

The First State Bank of Pritchett, center of Baca County's once prosperous live stock raising district, closed its doors Friday, as a result of the storms.

Directors announced the bank was solvent and would pay out in full, but could not continue business in the face of drought and the ruin spread by the dust barrage.

Dust Blamed in Deaths.

"Dust pneumonia," caused by dust irritation of lungs, is no longer considered an immediate threat to lives by doctors of this area. However, they still regarded infection from soil particles as partly responsible for six recent deaths.

Approximately 100 persons have been afflicted by lung irritation. The physicians have found, however, that only those susceptible to respiratory ailments have suffered materially.

Rains in Plains Section Check Dust Damage

By the Associated Press.

Kansas City, March 24.—Reviving rains fringed the parched Southwestern plains country today, bringing partial relief from smothering dust storms that have harassed inhabitants and live stock and retarded crops.

The greater part of the drought area, however—the mountain plateaus—received no moisture. The downfall ranged from light showers on the eastern edge of the Southern plains to downpours farther east in Texas, Oklahoma and Arkansas.

Youth Division To Join Parade Of Apple Fete

Campaign for $10,000 to Finance Festival Begun by Rodman.

Special Dispatch to The Post.

Winchester, Va., March 24. "The Development of Youth," in which representatives of boys' and girls' organizations from throughout the Shenandoah Valley will participate, will be a division in the grand parade of the Apple Blossom Festival this year for the first time, it was announced today by Roy A. Cather, parade director.

Bands from Handley, Martinsburg, Hagerstown, Woodstock and possibly other cities are expected to be included in this division. With each section of the divison fully uniformed, it is expected the young people who participate will provide one of the more colorful scenes of the many included in the several miles long parade.

The order of march in parade this year will place the military units in the lead as an escort for Queen Shenandoah XII and her court to be followed by artistic floats, the military school units, the commercial floats and the historical division.

A campaign to secure $10,000 to finance the cost of the festival and to replenish the reserve fund was launched yesterday by John F. Rodman, jr., head of the finance committee.

Already numerous contributions have been received, Mr. Rodman said, and of the total amount remaining to be collected, there is less than $9,000.

Crushed Worker's Funeral Set Today

Widow and 6 Sons Survive Virginia Victim.

Special Dispatch to The Post.

Harrisonburg, Va., March 24.—John William Martz, 48, who was crushed to death while working at the Mundy stone quarry north of Harrisonburg yesterday, will be buried tomorrow afternoon at Greenmount after services conducted from the Church of the Brethren here.

Martz was prizing a stone from a clay bank when the dirt caved in on him, burying him. Fellow workmen extricated him within a few minutes and rushed him to the hospital, where his condition was not regarded as serious. He died within a few hours, apparently being crushed inwardly and suffering from shock.

His widow and six sons survive. Martz was a native of Rockingham County but had spent some time in Pennsylvania and Indiana.

'Down With the King!' Shout 70,000 Scotsmen

Glasgow, March 24 (AP).—Seventy thousand persons, many women and children among them, shouting "down with the King," marched to Glasgow Green today waving red banners and flags in the largest demonstration against the unemployment act this city has seen.

"Down with the national government!" "Down with Ramsay MacDonald and his parasites!" they cried.

The shouts, which were nothing new among the communistic elements of Glasgow, were the nearest approach to disorder. The demonstration passed off quietly under the eyes of 1,900 police.

Benefit Dance Set.

A dance for the benefit of the Forestville (Md.) Volunteer Fire Department will be held Saturday night in Odd Fellows Hall, Forestville.

Weird Malady Again Changes Girl of 12 Into a 'Mr. Hyde'

Recurrent Disease That Alters Her Appearance Baffles Doctors.

By the United Press.

Birmingham, Ala., March 24.—The advance of spring today brought terror to 12-year-old Mary Kate Ware, who leads a weird "Dr. Jekyll-Mr. Hyde" existence in real life.

Each year, as buds open and flowers bloom, a mysterious malady temporarily transforms the laughing, plump little girl into a shrunken, witch-like creature.

Today, just as Stevenson's famous fiction character, Dr. Jekyll, took on the body of Mr. Hyde, Mary's "Mr. Hyde" was slowly entering her small body again. Doctors fear his visit may be permanent.

Childish fingers are once more curving into talons, and her back is becoming humped. Chubby features are thinning into cruel lines as her head shrinks into her shoulders. One foot drags as the now repulsive figure shuffles along hospital corridors.

Doctors are baffled by the deformity. Mary's mother said more than 200 of them have failed to diagnose her trouble.

Mary, her mother said, was a normal little girl until she was 3, when the first attack came. As summer arrived, however, her health returned and she romped and played with other children. But when the leaves turned red and yellow that fall, the strange disease again touched her, but lightly.

For nine years, the visits have continued. Sometimes Mary would lose more than 20 pounds in the spring.

Curiously, Mrs. Ware said, her daughter complained of no pain until last fall, when the affliction was accompanied by severe headaches and pains in her arms and shoulders.

The appearance of pain, together with the fact the change is apparently going to be more complete than usual, leads doctors to believe the gradual return of Mr. Hyde may mean permanent sorrow to Mary Kate this time.

Mother and Child, Two Men Drowned

Skiff Overturns in Swollen Greenbrier River.

By the Associated Press.

Lewisburg, W. Va., March 24.—A mother and her small daughter and two men were drowned late today in the Greenbrier River, 20 miles from Lewisburg, when a skiff in which they were riding overturned in the swollen stream.

The victims:

Mrs. Joseph McWhorter, of Marfrance, Greenbrier County, wife of the bookkeeper for the Marfrance Coal Co.

Her small daughter.

Two unidentified men, reported to be from Charleston.

McWhorter, the fifth occupant of the boat, managed to swim to shore.

Sheriff James W. McClung, of Greenbrier County, said the party had driven in McWhorter's automobile up the river to opposite the camp, situated on a small island.

The five then attempted to cross the stream in the small boat, the sheriff said. In midstream it was caught in the strong current of the river and overturned, hurling all the occupants into the water.

Plane Brings Back Man Hurt 90 Miles at Sea

New York, March 24 (AP).—A Coast Guard plane flew 90 miles to sea today, removed an injured man from the S. S. Cornelia and returned him to a hospital at Cape May, N. J., for medical attention.

Coast Guard communications said Lieut. Richard Bruke piloted the Coast Guard Amphibian, No. 129, to the steamer, removed Irvin Armistead, 33, of Matthews County, Va., and brought him ashore for hospitalization. Armistead fell through an open hatch, suffering skull fracture and internal injuries.

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Bid for 1936 'Nice Bouquet,' Merriam Says

California Governor Not Serious on Candidacy; Hoover Is Silent.

By the Associated Press.

Sacramento, Calif., March 24.—With elders of the party cheering Herbert Hoover as a potential 1936 contender, Gov. Frank F. Merriam commented lightly today on a proposal of California junior Republicans to advance the Governor as a presidential candidate.

"I realize it is a bouquet," Merriam told 500 at a Republican breakfast, "but don't any of you think I take it seriously."

There was plenty of comment—all praise—for the message of the former President to the California Republican assembly here yesterday, in which he lashed at the Roosevelt Administration and called for a militant revival of the minority party.

None of the leaders would venture an opinion on whether the message meant the former President would be a candidate.

No Comment.

Mr. Hoover could not be reached, but his secretary, Paul Sexson, said he would comment neither upon the 1936 possibilities nor upon the concentration of the junior Republicans' affections upon Merriam.

Gov. Merriam said he had not read the Hoover message.

The Governor, who leaped into national prominence last fall by carrying the Republican party to a decisive victory over an ambitious Democratic organization led by Upton Sinclair, explained at the breakfast session, that "personal handicaps prevent the carrying out of any such thing" as his election.

"It is like the love scene in a motion picture," he said, "in which the young man was saying everything he could to the young woman. Finally, she said: 'That's all right. I know it isn't true, but you keep right on saying it. I like to hear it.'

"I have that feeling myself."

Col. Roosevelt Silent.

Col. Theodore Roosevelt, president of the National Republican Club, who addressed the same meeting which received the former President's pronouncement, would not comment on the Hoover message. Roosevelt said he had not seen it.

Mark Requa, California national committeeman and close friend of Hoover, referred to the former President's letter as "a very strong expression and a fine declaration of Republican ideals."

J. P. Smith to Head Marlboro Legion

Other Officers Elected by Newly Formed Post.

J. Paul Smith has been elected commander of the newly organized Marlboro Post, No. 115, American Legion, of Upper Marlboro, Md.

Other officers are William H. Brooks, adjutant; W. E. Seipp, first vice commander; Robert Forrest, second vice commander; T. Claude Underwood, sergeant at arms; Thomas R. Henault, historian, and William H. Duvall, jr., chaplain.

The oath of office to the new officers was administered by Lewis F. Babcock, of Takoma Park Post, No. 28, rehabilitation chairman for southern Maryland. There are 39 members on the roster of the post.

Initiation ceremonies will be held Monday, April 8, in the auditorium of the Upper Marlboro High School by the degree team of Snyder-Farmer Post, No. 3, of Hyattsville.

Democrats' Club Sets Election in Riverdale

Annual election of officers of the Nineteenth Election District Democratic Club of Riverdale (Md.) will be held Thursday night at the firehouse. Hansel Rust has been nominated to succeed Mayor W. A. Carson, who has declined to stand for re-election, after heading the organization for many years.

Other nominations have been made as follows: Mrs. Herbert Nelson, Mrs. Mary Riedel, Mrs. J. P. Morris, H. C. Granholm, Ralph W. Harry K. Clare and Mrs. ...cer, vice president; John ...ell, treasurer, and Mrs. ... Stewart, secretary.

Battleships ...sted by Navy

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...to come close to the ship or take pictures of it.

The Navy said no new mechanical principle was involved in the planes. Instead, the object is to develop sheer size in an attempt to get a larger pay-load.

"Our idea," said one naval official, "is to develop these planes for use in both scouting and bombing. They ought to have a cruising range of 3,000 miles."

Thirty such planes would be a mighty defense for the United States. The tentative plan, provided the ships are constructed, is to distribute them on both coasts and assign some of them to Pearl Harbor, Hawaii. With a cruising range of 3,000 miles, such ships would go far toward giving the United States domination of the Pacific.

Another plan is to assign "mother ships" to the planes. These vessels would carry fuel and supplies and accompany the planes wherever they go, just as tenders follow submarines on lengthy jaunts.

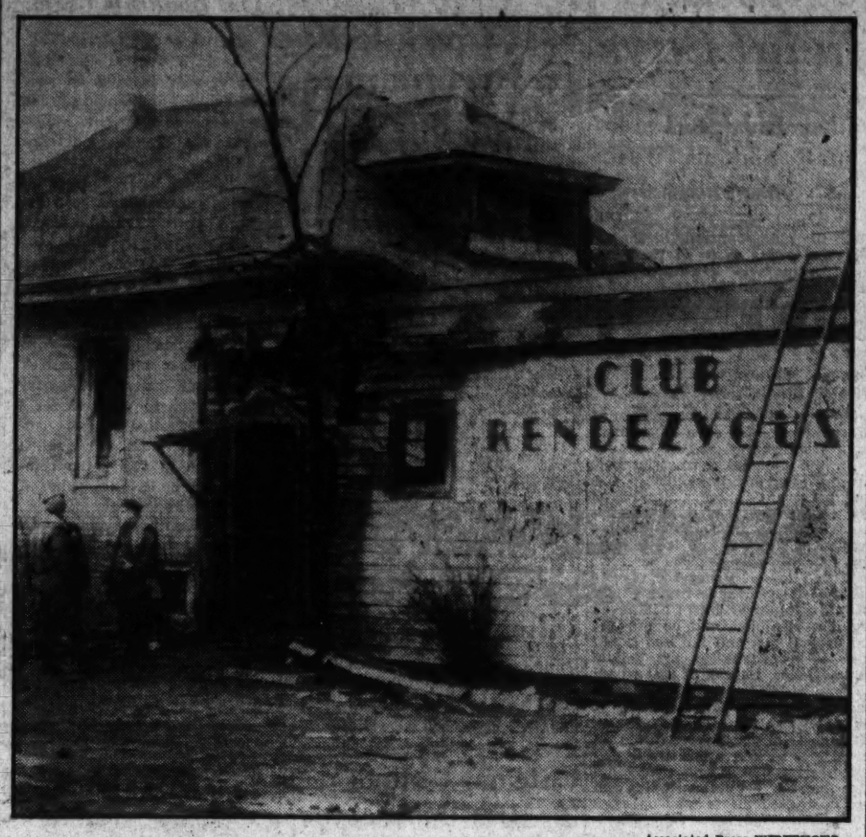
Neither of the experimental planes is armored. The Navy is convinced that armor plate is impracticable for such ships because its excessive weight is likely to cut down the cruising range.

It probably will be early in the summer, it was said, before the planes can be put through sufficient tests to determine whether the Navy will go ahead with the program.

Woman's Club to Meet.

The Woman's Club of Riverdale, Md., will hold a meeting tomorrow night at the home of Mrs. Charles Grante.

Roadhouse in Which Six Were Burned to Death



Associated Press WIREPHOTO.

Six persons perished and 17 others were burned early yesterday when fire swept the Cafe Rendezvous, roadhouse in suburban Morton Grove near Chicago. The dead were jammed near doorway.

Jobs Program For 7,000,000 Waited by U. S.

Works Bill Nearly Law, but Mystery Clouds Who Will Spend Fund.

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thus far not very successful, is being carried on under the Public Works Administration. It is possible that this work will be retained by PWA and enlarged under the new program. In view of the slowness with which such relief already has been moving, observers say it is difficult to see how it will immediately provide much employment. This also goes for housing and other similar slow-moving activities.

The Senate earmarked $800,000,000 for highways, roads, streets and for grade crossing elimination. At present road work is being done under direction of the Relief Administration, the PWA and the Department of Agriculture. The PWA has been examining the possibilities of grade crossing elimination and has a great deal of preliminary work accomplished. This project, however, runs into numerous snags, including State laws, necessity for condemnation of land and the inability of many railroads to share in the expense, where laws require that they pay a part of the bill.

Rural electrification remains something of a mystery. The President included it as a part of the program and the Senate earmarked $100,000,000 for the purpose. There is no indication of how it is to be accomplished or by whom. The recent unfavorable TVA decision may be a retarding factor in this program.

White Collar Jobs Assured.

The $450,000,000 earmarked for housing could conceivably be turned over to the PWA housing division, which after a year and a half is just now beginning to show real progress. Recently the division reported that a total of 12 families had been cared for by Federal Housing. This, however, is not a fair indication of the amount of work that has been done. Numerous projects are ready to go and housing could be started on a large scale without too long a delay, but it would not be possible to put a great many workers on jobs over night.

The $900,000,000 earmarked for public projects of States and other political subdivisions could be allotted without difficulty, but actual construction work in most cases probably would not begin for months. The necessary delay in perfecting plans, acquiring property and letting contracts would prevent putting men to work immediately.

The $350,000,000 for sanitation, reforestation, flood control and soil erosion prevention probably could be allotted for carrying to conclusion already perfected plans. This money probably could be turned into employment more quickly than any of the other earmarked sums.

It is not clear how the $300,000,000 for projects for "white collar" workers would be distributed, but there necessarily will be "white collar" jobs connected with each of the other projects.

Another problem with which the Administration if faced is the question of creating jobs where the most unemployment exists. This naturally is in the larger population centers, while such projects as rural electrification, reforestation and grade crossings elimination would be spread far from these centers. Government officials, however, have repeatedly said that they expected to be able to solve the problem.

New Set-up Possible.

All of these considerations, however, do not go into the question of how the huge relief fund actually is to be administered. President Roosevelt has not even dropped a hint as to what he plans to do. Hopkins and Ickes profess not to know. It is conceivable that the money could be handled through the Ickes organization. Some of it could be handled through the Relief Administration, and, of course, the CCC already is functioning.

The Government already has sufficient machinery to get the program under way, but it is possible that new machinery will be set up. There is no indication of what form this would take, if the President chooses to form a new works administration. It might function as a committee, or under the direction of an individual, or as a combination of both.

Some time ago Secretary Roper announced appointment of Gen. Robert E. Wood, of Chicago, as an adviser on the works program. It was emphasized at that time, however, that he would serve in an advisory capacity only, representing the point of view of business. At that time it was hinted that the program might be administered by a board, but no definite statement was made, and the possible personnel of such a board was not indicated.

It has been pointed out that the Administration is in much better position to undertake the enormous task than it was when the PWA, CWA, FERA and similar organizations were started. At that time there were no precedents, no working organizations, no definite plans and no experience available. A pioneering job was done. Now the Government has a great army of experienced men and women in the various relief jobs. It has literally thousands of possible projects in various states of planning. Many of these plans have been approved. Others are in a sufficient state of perfection that they can be approved without too much delay.

The extent to which plans have been perfected for carrying out the task which the President has set for himself and his aids has not been revealed. As soon as the bill is signed, however, he is expected to start the machinery in motion to create his army of workers.

'I Scared the Senate,' Says Huey, Back Here

By the Associated Press.

Huey Long, of Louisiana, yesterday modestly took credit for the sudden passage Saturday by the Senate of the $4,880,000,000 relief bill which he fought.

"Filibustering by remote control, I call it," Long said, when asked why he thought he was responsible for the sudden break on the measure which had been before the Senate eight weeks.

Long was in Columbia, S. C., delivering a speech Saturday and sent word to the Senate that he was coming by airplane to take part in the debate on the Thomas silver amendment. The Senate shortly thereafter passed the bill under pressure by Democratic leaders.

"No, I wasn't surprised to see them rush the relief bill through," Long laughed. "They had spent too much time on it anyway. I just wanted to hustle them along and see how many new things they would stick into it.

"I told them I was going to take an airplane from Columbia, S. C., because I wanted to scare them into action. They acted."

11 Sailors Are Injured In Storm on Atlantic

St. Johns, Newfoundland, March 24 (AP).—Ten seamen of the French trawler Alfred were treated for injuries and one was sent to a hospital when she put into port today after striking a storm off Newfoundland.

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Out-Hoovering Of Hoover Seen By Huey Long

Roosevelt Only Different Type of 'Owl,' Asserts Louisianian.

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catches her while she's falling. But a "scrootch" owl slips into the roost and 'scrootches' up to the hen and talks softly to her. And the hen just falls in love with her and the next thing you know there ain't no hen. I used to have trouble telling which was the hen and which was the 'scrootch' owl on the roost. I was afraid to shoot for fear I'd kill the hen instead of the 'scrootch' owl."

Republicans here, meanwhile, remained divided over the probability of Mr. Hoover seeking the presidential nomination in 1936. Progressive and Liberal Republicans decidedly are opposed to the Californian.

Gov. Harold G. Hoffman, of New Jersey, mentioned along with a score of others as a Republican presidential prospect in 1936, Saturday night at Philadelphia called upon "youth" to step forward to assist in the rehabilitation of the party.

A boom has been started in California for Republican backing of Gov. Frank F. Merriam, of the Golden Bear State, who defeated Upton Sinclair, Democratic-Socialist, last year when the Administration withheld support.

Some Midwest Republicans are looking to Gov. Alfred M. Landon, of Kansas, while liberal elements consider former Gov. John G. Winant, of New Hampshire, a likely prospect.

There is, however, a lack of widespread support for any of these or for others mentioned, including Senators Vandenberg, of Michigan; Borah, of Idaho; McNary and Steiwer, both of Oregon, and Representatives Wadsworth, Snell and Fish, all of New York.

Republicans generally are evidencing more optimism over their 1936 outlook because of the revolts staged in both House and Senate by Democrats. On the other hand, the Democrats consider these outbursts merely family matters and claim that when the 1936 campaign gets to rolling, they will bury their differences to re-elect Mr. Roosevelt and a Democratic Congress.

Talk about a third party movement by Long is discounted by Democratic congressional leaders. They claim that he could carry but a few States other than Louisiana.

Some Republicans, on the other hand, believe Long could clip enough votes from Roosevelt to allow their candidate—whoever it is—to win.

Auctioneer's Red Flag Over Capitol Visioned

Visions of a red flag—an auctioneer's—flying over the Capitol were seen yesterday by Henry H. Curran, director of the National Economy League.

"If Congress puts in many more weeks like last week," he said, "we may as well raise the red flag of the auctioneer over the Capitol right away and let the sheriff do his stuff.

"While the Senate is piling up $4,000,000,000 more of unnecessary debt for all the rest of the citizens to spend their lives paying off, the House authorizes the printing of $2,000,000,000 of stage money to satisfy the demands of the veterans for a Federal handout at the expense of everybody else.

"No country can financially survive this sort of thing."

Army Plane Falls At Bolling Field

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made several flights to and from the field during the morning and when the wind shifted he attempted to land from the direction of St. Elizabeth's Hospital and was forced to fly directly over the high-tension wires.

Gust Tilts Ship.

An unexpected gust was believed to have thrown the plane's wing against the wire. The ship, traveling at high speed, dropped from a height of about 30 feet.

Capt. Kenyon is a former official of the air commerce division, Bureau of Lighthouses. He lives at 1426 Twenty-first street northwest. Corpl. Mulvin has been attached to Bolling Field for some time. He resides at Union City, Pa. According to air corps officials certain hours on Saturdays and Sundays are used for practice flights by reserve corps officers.

After receiving first-aid treatment at the Naval Hospital, the injured men were taken to Walter Reed. Physicians said that Capt. Kenyon suffered hip and internal injuries. Corpl. Mulvin sustained an arm fracture and lacerations.

The plane they were using had been overhauled recently and was in excellent condition, field employes declared. Details of the accident were not generally known and only a few spectators gathered. This was attributed to disconnection of the "crash warning" siren when the ship severed power lines into the field.

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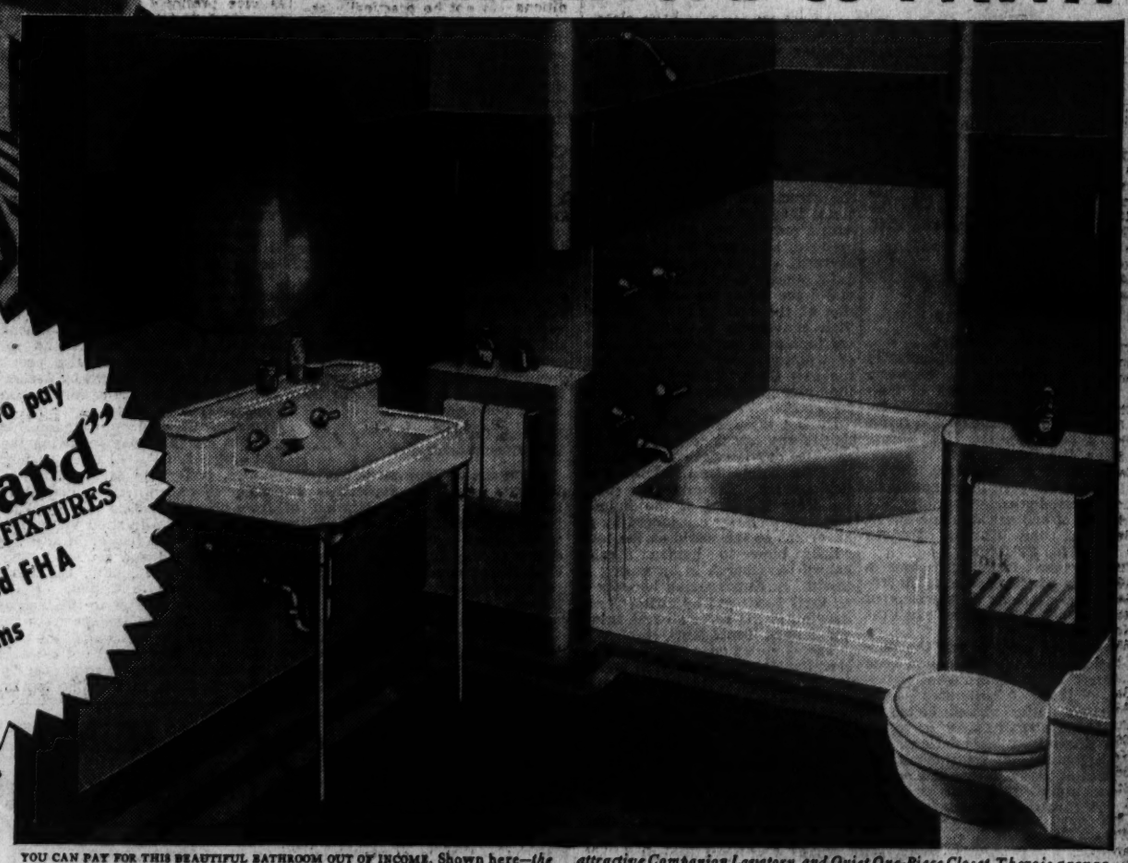

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Japan to Sever League Bonds On Wednesday

Officially to Quit Geneva After 2-Year Period Has Expired.

By the United Press.

Tokyo (Monday) March 25.—Japan's membership in the League of Nations ends officially Wednesday.

Flanked by her single-avowed ally, Manchukuo, she faces the world as the self-chosen preserver of peace in the Orient.

Final termination of her membership in the league completes action started February 24, 1933, when diapper Yosuke Matsuoka led the entire Japanese delegation in a walk-out from the league assembly. On March 27 of that year Japan formally gave notice of her withdrawal from the league assembly's censure of Japanese aggression in Manchuria during 1931 and 1932.

Guardian of the Peace.

Japan has advised other powers in blunt terms that she considers herself guardian of the peace of East Asia, with outside assistance little desired and not invited. She has embarked on an armament policy marked by denunciation of the Washington Naval Treaty, demands for naval parity with Great Britain and the United States, and armed forces "sufficient to defend, but inadequate to attack."

Japan has completed arrangements for purchase of Russia's half interest in the Chinese Eastern Railway by Manchukuo. She has braved charges of closing the "open door" in East Asia by establishing stringent regulations governing foreign oil companies in Japan, and Manchukuo has announced a government oil monopoly, effective April 10, within its boundaries.

The diet has approved Japan's largest peace-time budget, with 49 per cent devoted to the army and navy departments.

Finally, Japan has declared flatly that she never will relinquish mandated Pacific islands given her under terms of the Versailles Treaty, and has intimated she will brook no discussion of the territories.

China Fears Invasion.

Thus, Japan's official house has been placed in order for March 27, when she resolutely turns her face to the rest of the world with an act tantamount to blunt proclamation of her leadership in east Asia.

Chinese officialdom in Peiping and Tientsin further fears that plans now are afoot for Japanese encroachment, with Japan allegedly inciting Chinese troublemakers to such outrages that further military intervention will be "required."

Foreign Minister Koki Hirota and other cabinet members continually have stressed Japanese desires for peace, however.

Japan faces Russia more sanguinely now. Russia has indicated willingness to discuss demilitarization along the Siberian-Manchukuo border, a move that would relieve Japan of a tremendous military burden.

Japan's withdrawal from the League of Nations will become effective March 27, and ours will be a greater burden of responsibility, but the road for Japan to take has long been chosen," Hirota told the last session of the imperial diet, January 22, 1935.

Japan Offers to Buy Russian Island

By the Associated Press.

Tokyo, March 24.—Japan, ardently desires' 'to purchase the northern half of the Pacific Island of Saghalien from Soviet Russia because of its promising oil fields and forest areas, Foreign Minister Koki Hirota told the diet today.

Previously at the same session Hirota had outlined the negotiations which culminated yesterday, the purchase of another valuable Soviet possession, the Chinese Eastern Railway, for $40,000,000.

Hirota was speaking before a committee of the House of Representatives debating a government bill for control of fisheries in northern waters.

He said an offer to sell the Russian portion of the island had been discussed by the late Soviet statesman, Adolf Abramowicz Joffe, when the latter visited Japan in 1923 in an abortive attempt to restore Russo-Japanese relations. He added, however, that this discussion was not at the initiative of Moscow.

"Because of differences over the price," Hirota explained, "the proposal fell through. Whether the U. S. S. R. still has intentions to sell, I do not know, but Japan ardently desires that a time will come when she will be able to purchase this territory, thereby removing a source of diplomatic disputes between Japan and Russia."

He said in event of such a transfer Japan would actively undertake the economic development of North Saghalien, with its oil fields and extensive forests.

The island was entirely Russian until the Portsmouth treaty of 1905 ceded the southern half to Japan. After the Bolshevik revolution the Japanese army held the northern half until Tokyo recognized the Soviet government and concluded the 1925 settlement.

During their occupation the Japanese discovered rich oil potentialities, especially in the Oha region, and the 1925 settlement granted a 11-year concession to Japan for the purpose of drilling wells in certain areas.

This concession, expiring in 1936, was allotted to the Japanese semi-official North Saghalien Petroleum Co., which is now negotiating with Moscow seeking an extension.

Because of difficulties being raised by the Russians, the Japanese are worried lest the Soviet withdraw this valuable source of petroleum from Japan's control. The Japanese navy buys and stores most of the north Saghalien oil output.

Card Parties Arranged.

A series of card parties will be started Friday night by the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Riverdale Heights (Md.) Volunteer Fire Department. Parties will be held every two weeks under direction of Miss Helen Koehmer, auxiliary president.

Independence of Mexico Marked Beginning Of Church and State Trouble, Official Says

Hierarchy Charged With Greed From Earliest Days of Nation.

By Dr. Luis Quintanilla,
Of the Mexican Foreign Service.

No serious consideration of the present State and Church conflict is possible without an insight—however superficial—into the very peculiar role played by the Church of Rome throughout Mexico's history. Without doing so, no one can understand what is going on in Mexico at this moment.

Serial atrocity stories of Catholic propagandists against the revolutionary governments of Mexico might thrill lovers of fiction; but certainly they will be no help to the fair-minded readers trying to understand what in the world is happening at the southern gates of the United States. . . .

I am sure that the slightest knowledge of this age-old issue will be of great help to any reader endeavoring to grasp the reason why the policy of the Catholic Church and that of the Mexican government are so bitterly antagonistic that harmony and peace between them seem almost impossible.

The serious difficulties between Church and State started, in fact, **at the very beginning of Mexico's independence.**

Behind the Spanish conquerors came the Catholic priests. During the colonial period, which lasted from 1519 to 1821, soldier and priest worked hand in hand to secure submission of the natives. The rapid conversion of the indigenous population by a handful of Catholic missionaries—some of them, like Father Pedro de Gante, true followers of the teachings of the Master—was a source of admiration to the Church itself. In a manuscript now in the National Library of Mexico, Fran Bernardino de Sahagun himself expresses his skepticism regarding the almost instantaneous wholesale conversion of the millions of Indians forming Mexico's population. "That being so, they (the Indians) were very willing to take the god of the Spaniards as one of their own gods; but not so as to forsake their old gods." In fact, the natives down in their minds continue to worship their ancient idols and even today, although considered as Catholics, they practice their own picturesque rites. Catholicism, with its complicated dogma, has remained practically foreign to the Indian. This circumstance is of vital importance.

Quotes Early History of Mexico.

All scholars who have studied closely this subject agree in that point, without a single exception. Recently, in a book published in 1933 by the Columbia University Press, "Peace by Revolution," by Frank Tannenbaum, a book which by no means can be considered as a one-sided view of the Mexican situation—Mr. Tannenbaum writes the following: "The hasty conversion of millions of natives, claimed, for instance by the early Franciscans, proved to have been **only a superficial one**, even though an impressive ceremony. The Indians, attached to their old faiths, habituated to the old practices, accepted the ceremonial baptism, in a language they did not understand, and with a purpose they could not comprehend, as something strange and charged with mystic meaning, but quite beyond their ken. The Church may have taken the ready submission of the Indians as evidence of their conversion to Catholicism; to the Indians it was perhaps a means of winning grace and favor from the new Gods that had come with the new masters of the country . . ."

During the semifeudal organization of the colony, the Spanish authorities and the Catholic Hierarchy kept the natives in a state of practical slavery. The establishment of the Holy Tribunal of the Inquisition, unanimously considered by all historians of the world as the most odious blow to human dignity, helped the Church in increasing its wealth by dispossessing heretics of all their goods and by torturing and burning at the stake all free thinkers or Jews, Protestants, etc.

The Inquisition, established in New Spain, that is to say, in Mexico in 1571, lasted over two centuries and a half, and during all this period, seizures of property were numerous. Confiscation was based on the principle that "heretics, that is, non-Catholics, are not masters of property." When the victim was burned to death the proceeds of his property were exacted from the heirs. Medina tells us in his "Historia del Tribunal del Santo Oficio," that in 1649, one single auto da fe yielded 3,000,000 pesos. And Lea, in the second volume, page 322, of his famous "History of the Spanish Inquisition," said: "The prostitution of religion to the service of greed was exploited to the utmost."

In 1790 **out of 3,387 houses in the City of Mexico, 1,935 were recorded as belonging to the Church.** The brotherhoods owned 358 houses, the sisterhoods 875, and the Cathedral, Inquisition, Ecclesiastical Court and other entities, the remainder. At the end of the eighteenth century the Archbishop of Mexico was receiving from property alone an annual income of $130,000 (Mex.); the Bishop of Puebla, $110,000; the Bishop of Valladolid, $100,000, and the Bishop of Guadalajara, $90,000.

Yet, while some bishops were enjoying those annual revenues, parish priests of Indian villages lived in complete poverty.

Mexican Leader Was Excommunicated.

When one of those modest priests, Hidalgo, issued on September 16, 1810, a courageous declaration of independence, the Church Hierarchy began to tremble. The Holy Office of the Inquisition issued an Edict **excommunicating Hidalgo** as seditious schismatic and heretical, Bishops and Inquisitors launched excommunications . . . The Edict of September 24, 1810, of the Bishop of Michoacan, Miguel Abad y Queipo, by which he excommunicated the Insurgent Chiefs and all who followed them, contains expressions like these: "A minister of the God of Peace, a minister of Christ and a shepherd of souls (it pains me to have to say so) the Curate of Dolores, Miguel Hidalgo (who had until now deserved my confidence and friendship) in the company of the Captains of the Queen's Regiment, Ignacio Allende, Juan de Albama and Jose Mariano Abasolo, has raised the standard of rebellion and lighted the torch of discord and anarchy, and by winning over a band of **ignorant countryfolk**, has made them resort to arms . . . ". . . That being so and exercising the authority vested in me as Bishop elect and Governor of this Bishopric, I declare that the aforesaid Miguel Hidalgo, the Curate of Dolores, and his followers, the three Captains aforesaid, are sacrilegious, perjured and have become liable to major excommunication of the canon. I declare them to be excommunicated persons, to be so shunned, and prohibit as I do, that anyone give them succor, aid or comfort, under pain of major excommunication **ipso facto incurrenda.** I further exhort and call upon that portion of the people **whom he has led astray,** by bestowing on them the title of soldiers and companions in arms, to return to their homes and to **abandon him within the third day following** that on which Edict shall come to their notice, under the same penalty of major excommunication, in which I from now on declare they shall fall and all those who shall voluntarily enlist under his flag or in any way afford him aid and comfort."

On October 13, 1810, the friars of the Apostolic College of Pachuca wrote a letter to the viceroy proposing to send monks from the community to persuade the villagers that they ought not embrace the cause of independence. On October 27, 1810, in the City of Pueblo, the clergy announced its allegiance to the cause of the king, in a memorable document, and, lastly, on March 28, 1811, the Metropolitan Cathedral Chapter of Mexico exhorted the clergy of its diocese to continue loyal to the cause of the king.

Hidalgo Made Plea to People.

Hidalgo, the Mexican George Washington, was even "branded" as a "follower of Martin Luther" . . . the national hero, who had always been and remained to the end a fervent Catholic, replied to the charges formulated by the inquisition in a memorable proclamation of which I take the following touching paragraphs:

"I find myself under the regrettable necessity of satisfying my own people on a point which I had never thought possible could be brought up against me, and far less brand me as suspicious to my fellow countrymen. I speak of that which to me is above everything, most sacred and most loved by me; of our holy religion, of that supernatural faith bestowed on me in baptism . . . The origin of all my offenses is to be sought in my desire for your happiness; if this had not compelled me to take up arms I would be enjoying a calm, pleasant and tranquil existence. I would be considered a true Catholic, which I am and always be glad to be.

"Open your eyes, Americans. Do not let our enemies deceive you. **They are Catholic for political purposes only.** Their God is money. Their threats have oppression as their sole aim. Shall we believe that he can not be a true Catholic who does not subject himself to the Spanish despot? Whence comes to us this new dogma, this new article of faith? . . . Do not listen to the seductive voices which, **beneath the cloak of religion,** desire to make you victims of their insatiable greed."

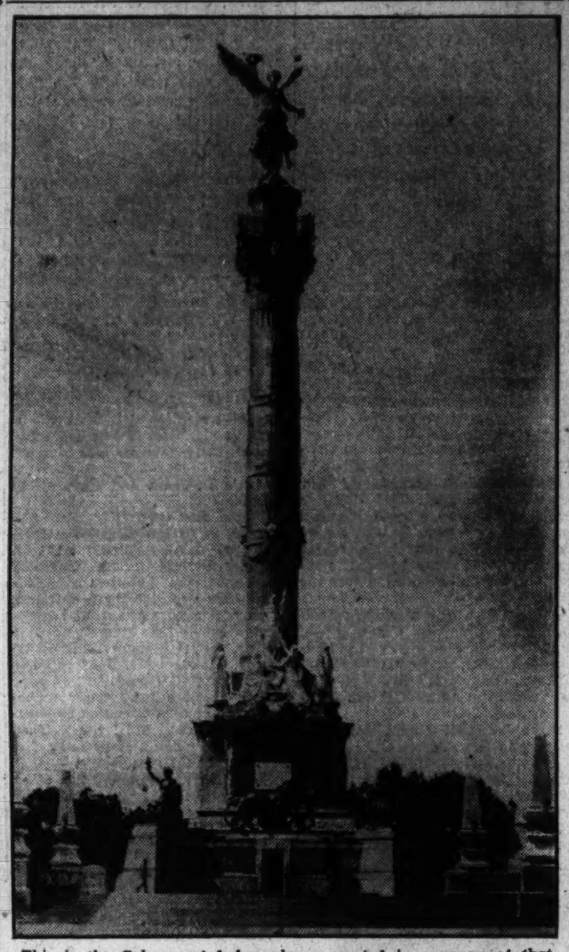
This touching appeal of Hidalgo addressed to his patriotic followers will appear more significant to the reader, if he has kept in mind the fact that Hidalgo was an ordained priest of the Roman Catholic Church, who lived and died as a true Catholic, and whose very flag in his battles for independence was not less than the image of Our Lady of Guadalupe, revered up to this day by all Mexican worshippers. . . . Hidalgo, who was fighting both the Church of Rome and the King of Spain, was finally captured and executed by his enemies.

Church Retains Power in Mexico.

I have often wondered what respect American patriots would feel toward a church guilty of having condemned independence and excommunicated its leaders and their followers. . . . **Yet, this is not fiction but history.**

In spite of independence, however, the Catholic Church did not lose its power. The new republican regime affected, it is true, its political power; but it managed to increase its wealth until the reform laws of 1857-9 were strictly enforced by the Calles administration in 1926 and thereafter by all the suceeding administrations up to the present. Independence had brought to the church freedom from the King of Spain and therefore the Heirarchy ceased to be subject to his authority and above all to that royal prerogative of patronage which the church had always resented. For some time the Catholic Heirarchy had neither to submit to the king nor to the authority of the new republic. Before the latter engaged in negotiations with the Pope in order to sign a concordat, the church took advantage of this most exceptional occasion.

Independence had given Mexico territorial freedom. The reform movement, led by the enlightened members of the Liberal Party during the first part of the nineteenth century was to give the country not only territorial freedom but a constitutional basis to consolidate once for all that complete spiritual emancipation, the realization of which, even today, has become, perhaps, the most pressing and important task with which the government of President Cardenas is being confronted.



This is the Column of Independence erected in memory of that movement which the hierarchy opposed, so bitterly and for the leadership of which they excommunicated Father Hidalgo together with his patriotic followers.

This is the fourth of a series of seven articles in reply to a series written for The Post by Frederick Vincent Williams. The Williams articles gave a Catholic viewpoint of conditions in Mexico. The article below and others in the present series reflect the official Mexican viewpoint. They are printed just as they were written. Where expressions appear in blacker type, the emphasis was indicated by the author. Dr. Quintanilla has been in the employ of the Mexican government for 15 years.

$20,000 Blaze At Resort Laid To Pyromaniac

Hotel at Berkley Springs Destroyed; Third Fire Set There in Week.

Special Dispatch to The Post.

Berkeley Springs, W. Va., March 24.—Officials tonight were hunting a pyromaniac for the blaze that destroyed the Dunn Hotel with a loss of $20,000 early today and threatened to wipe out this resort town.

The fire broke out at about 5 a. m. and swept through the 96-room, three-story frame structure with such rapidity that it seemed for a time that the entire business section of the town would go up in flames.

It was the third major blaze here within a week and police state all have been set. Incendiary fires destroyed the country homes of Harry Bridges, vice president of the Pittsburgh Sand Co., and J. Hammond Siler early this week.

Firemen of the Berkeley Springs, Martinsburg and Hancock departments poured water from seven homes on the Dunn Hotel blaze for three hours before bringing it under control.

The hotel, catering exclusively to the resort trade, was without guests. The flames spread to the insurance office of Harry Dawson and drew hundreds of sleepy townspeople to the scene.

Chicago Bullets Miss Prosecutor

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from the city. Ralph Capone, brother of the notorious Al, was arrested almost daily on his release from the penitentiary, but has remained in the city.

Courtney's route home early today was the same he has taken regularly in recent weeks and this regularity apparently was counted on by the gangsters.

Shot Deflected.

Their car drew alongside the State's attorney's machine as it moved south on Normal boulevard. Its horn was tooting loudly and Courtney thought at first it contained joyriders. The first shot, which struck the metal bar on the ventilating window, was deflected harmlessly over his head.

"My God! They'll get us!" Perry shouted as all four ducked to the floor of the auto.

Two shots were stopped by the rear door. Another hit the left rear fender. Police picked up four empty shells in the street, indicating other shots missed the car altogether.

Courtney increased his drive against the underworld tonight and police picked up hoodlums throughout the South Side in an effort to find one who might give a clue to the assassins. The police guard at Courtney's home was doubled. Others were assigned to watch his relatives and members of his staff.

Methodists Slate Winchester Parley

200 Expected at District Conclave April 4-5.

Special Dispatch to The Post.

Winchester, Va., March 24.—Plans for the Winchester district conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church South, to be held in Strasburg, April 4 and 5, were announced by Dr. W. F. Locke, presiding elder, of this city, today.

More than 200 delegates from 29 churches and charges in the district are expected to attend. Bishop Edwin D. Mouzon, of the First Episcopal district of the Southern Methodist Church, who resides in Charlotte, N. C., will preach the convention sermon April 4 at 11 a. m. and will administer the sacrament. Dr. Locke will preside over the sessions.

Attending the convention will be pastors and five delegates from each charge, district lay leaders, two associate lay leaders, the president of the Woman's Missionary Society in the district, and president of the Young People's Society.

McLaughlin Plans 2 Superhighways

West Virginia Trunk Roads Would Be 3 Lanes Wide.

By the Associated Press.

Charleston, W. Va., March 24.—The construction of two superhighways, three lanes wide, cutting through West Virginia, east and west, north and south, is proposed by Commissioner of Agriculture J. B. McLaughlin as an incentive for tourist travel in the State.

McLaughlin, who directs State publicity, proposes that one of the routes follow generally the direct line between Kenova and Harper's Ferry, the other from Chester to Bluefield.

"There is no limit to the traffic which would be attracted to the State by such trunk highways," McLaughlin said today.

He added the American Automobile Association said tourists spent $58,000,000 in West Virginia last year and that with the new superhighways the revenue would be multiplied many times.

Auxiliary to Elect.

Election of officers of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Stephen Citizens Association of East Riverdale, Md., will be held Friday night at the association's hall.

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Researchers Identify The Dandruff Germ

By the Associated Press.

St. Louis, March 24.—Responsibility for that dandruff on your collar finally has been fixed, and "pityrosporum ovalis," a bottle-shaped, yeast-like fungus, gets the credit, if any.

Identification and culture of the offending organism has been announced by two St. Louis research workers, Dr. Morris Moore and Dr. Roy L. Kile, staff members of the Barnard Free Skin and Cancer Hospital.

The two doctors declined to discuss the implications of their discovery. Other medical sources, however, said their work may lay the foundation for research for a treatment effective against dandruff. Furthermore, they said, it would seem to verify the commonly held belief that dandruff is a "catching disease."

P.-T. A. Plans Benefit.

An entertainment program for the benefit of the Parent-Teacher Association of the Oxon Hill (Md.) High School will be held Thursday at 8 p. m. in the school auditorium. The program will consist of songs, dances, shadowgraphs and a presentation entitled "The Lighthouse Tragedy."

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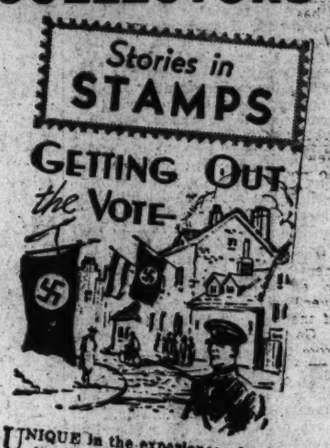

UNIQUE in the experience of political spellbinding is the issue of a set of stamps urging the inhabitants of the Saar to vote in their recent plebiscite. Under rule of the League of Nations since the war, this territory of 750 square miles, with a population of 800,000, has voted itself back to Germany.

The stamps that brought the people to the polls were those of 1934, six showing figures on them, and one a figure on the tomb of the Duchess Elizabeth at Lorraine, each over-printed with the legend, "Volksabstimmung, 1935"—Plebiscite, 1935.

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Miss Ingalls' Plane Poised for U.S. Hop

Fair Dawn Waited for Try at Earhart Record.

By the United Press.

Los Angeles, March 24.—Laura Ingalls, curly-haired daredevil who aspires to be the world's greatest woman flier, had her new shiny, black Vendetta airplane oiled and tuned tonight, ready to take off "the first morning the weather looks right" on a nonstop flight to New York.

Mechanics put the big 550-horsepower Wasp engine back under the snub-nosed cowl this afternoon, but Miss Ingalls wants to make a final test flight tomorrow, so the take-off will not be before dawn Tuesday.

It will be Miss Ingalls' first effort to chisel time off Amelia Earhart Putnam's transcontinental flying records. Miss Earhart holds a nonstop record of 19 hours, and a record of 17 hours 30 minutes, with one stop. Miss Ingalls expects to make a dawn-to-dusk flight, with no stops.

G.O.P. Club Reorganizes In Riverdale District

Reorganization of the Republican Club of the Nineteenth Election District of Riverdale, Md., will be effected at a meeting tonight at the office of J. Wilson Ryon, Spencer street, Hyattsville.

The meeting has been called by William C. Wedding, president of the club, following several years' inactivity. All Republicans of the Riverdale district have been invited.

Inferential Rebuke to Hitler Reported in Pope's Encyclical

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Vatican City, March 24.—A new European war would be tantamount to the destruction of civilization, Pope Pius I will assert n his encyclical to be published April 28, the United Press learned tonight.

His holiness, by inference, also will condemn Adolft Hitler and his German Nazi government for their defiance of treaties.

While Germany will not be called by name, the pontiff will condemn, in the strongest terms, the action of nations in violating any pact they solemnly have undertaken.

A most reliable source stated that in the encyclical the holy father will plead with all governments and peoples to consider broadmindedly the special as well as the general interests of others.

The encyclical, which already has been largely written, was described as "the most important document issued by the present pontificate."

It will assert the moment has arrived for the highest spiritual authority of all the world to speak for peace among mankind. The warning of impending war will be in plain terms, asserting there are too many indications pointing to an armed struggle far more disastrous than the World War for the church to remain silent. A new war would mean the return of humanity to the days of the barbarians.

The Pope will state that his plea is prompted by his duty as Christ's vicar upon earth. He will remind the peoples of the world that divine laws can not be violated with impunity and that the head of the church would be failing in his duty toward the peoples of all nations if he did not warn them and their governments of the responsibilities which must fall upon them if they persist in adopting threatening attitudes.

The document will point out that "noble attempts" are being made to make possible friendly intercouse between peoples, but that these efforts are meeting with but scanty success due to the fact there is too much hatred, fear and mistrust among the peoples of great nations.

Bills to Curb Crime Pushed in Many States

Jacksonville, Fla., March 24 (AP).—Scott M. Loftin, president of the American Bar Association, said today 35 State Legislatures are considering bills to curb criminal activity as an important part of "one of the most vast and concentrated drives against the criminal ever known."

The association, Loftin said, is taking an active part in the campaign by working through its various State organizations to push through Legislatures bills aimed at crime. Among measures advocated are the creation of State departments of justice and the improvement of criminal procedure.

Bingo Party Friday.

A bingo party will be held by the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Cottage City Volunteer Fire Department Friday night in the firehouse. There will be a door prize and other awards. Mrs. V. A. Simmel and Mrs. M. De Waters are in charge of arrangements.

Post Model Home Delights Crowds

Foxall ResidenceContinues Open for Guests.

Still pleasing the multitudes, the Foundry Park model home in Foxall, sponsored by The Washington Post, remains a marvel among residential exhibits of the early spring.

This delightful house of English architecture, located at 1421 Forty-fourth street northwest, is being presented by Waverly Taylor, Inc., its builder. The attractive structure is exquisitely furnished by W. B. Moses & Sons, and the spacious lot has been landscaped by J. H. Small & Sons to harmonize with the natural beauty of its park surroundings.

The residence is of brick construction and fully detached in type. It stands on a deep lot in an elevation high above the Potomac River and adjacent to the Foundry Branch Park. The display home directs attention to a group of four dwellings erected recently by the Taylor corporation. Two of these offerings were sold within three weeks of their exhibition.

The Washington Post model home in Foxall will be open for a limited period daily between 9:30 a. m. and 9:30 p. m. To inspect it, drive out Q street northwest to Wisconsin avenue, then north one block to Reservoir road, west to Forty-fourth street and left to the home.

Lecture on Mexico Set.

An illustrated lecture on Mexico will be given by Mrs. C. P. Close, of College Park, at a meeting of the Berwyn (Md.) Parent-Teacher Association tomorrow night. Third-grade pupils of the school will present a short play.

New Deal Bars Move to Widen Money Control

...sue of 'Political' Versus 'Banker' Guidance Will Be Basis of Fight.

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control in a board subject to Administration domination.

The American Bankers Association presented its recommendations last Friday which are notable, among other things, for the new tone adopted by the bankers. Instead of being in an attitude, often assumed in the past, of resisting change, the bankers generally indorse almost all of the pending bill, including many drastic changes.

Attitude Toward Bill.

That is, they support the bill in the main "if the method of appointment and tenure of office of the members of the Federal Reserve Board, in whose hands it is planned to concentrate greater power than ever before, could be so altered as to insure, as far as possible, the absolute independence of the board" from partisan or political consideration."

The major battle is to be fought over this issue of "political" versus "banker" control. The compromise put forth by the bankers will be rejected by the New Deal, which feels confident of enough votes in Congress to have its way. While it has been clear for some time that this would be the focal point of controversy, the bankers' recommendations have sharply precipitated the issue.

It is evident that political forces have been moving strongly in the direction of complete "Government" control freed from banker influence. New Dealists, including Gov. Eccles, do not concede that the proposed concentration of power in the Reserve Board constitutes "political" control in the sense of being subject to partisan political influence. Rather, they argue that the Government must have complete authority to exercise its sovereign powers over money, and that the exercise of these powers must be vested in a Government authority removed from private banker influence and dominance.

Point to Advantages.

They contend that the proposed set-up of the board and vesting of powers with it is the logical method of establishing such governmental control. While the bankers are prepared to agree to other drastic changes, they mean to fight this move, which would strip them of any effective influence in the future over all-important monetary policy. That the change is vital, even revolutionary, is not denied by its advocates, who argue that it is necessary and in keeping with both political and economic trends.

It appears to many that the full ...plications have not yet been ...ly understood, for this step, ... debated in terms of political ...us banking influence, fore... ...dows introduction of new theo... ... of "managed money." Pre... ...ly how this or any other Admin... ...ation armed with the centralized ... ...hority means to manage money ... yet to be disclosed. The subject is enormous, complex, and as yet but dimly understood anywhere in the world.

Governor Eccles, a disciple of the British economist, John Maynard Keynes, appears to share his ideas under which gold would become relatively insignificant, central banks would alter buying prices for it from time to time and it would be used chiefly to adjust international balances among central banks. The domestic currency would then be "managed" relative to several criteria, including "the state of employment, the volume of production, the effective demand for credit as felt by the banks, the rate of interest on investments of various types, the volume of new issues, the flow of cash into circulation, the statistics of foreign trade and the level of the exchanges." Wholesale and retail price indexes, the cost of living, etc., would all be taken into account. Stability would be the avowed objective.

Possible Results.

Not only does all this imply a tremendous transition and pose staggering problems that would tax the best brains in the world, but it suggests a break with all the old theories, practices and traditions associated with a more or less automatic gold standard. It may mean introduction of a strictly "paper" currency. It seems to imply inevitably a permanent severance between the internal and external dollar.

All of these momentous and difficult issues lie beyond the step to centralize governmental control in the Reserve Board, subject to Treasury and Executive authority and influence. It is quite as radical a change as Government regulation of industry and agriculture, and of even greater potential effect upon the country.

That the bankers are in a losing fight, as forces shape up now, seems apparent. That the bankers would make what amounts to a last stand at this point and on this basic issue of who is to control was to be expected. It is a fateful issue now drawn sharply with the New Deal unwilling to compromise.

Cumberland Company Acquires Daily News

Special Dispatch to The Post.

Cumberland, Md., March 24.—The Times and Alleganian Co., publisher of the Evening and Sunday Times, has acquired the stock of the Daily News Co., publisher of the morning paper here, and will continue it in the same building as a Republican paper, with William L. Geppert, of Clarksburg, W. Va., as editor and general manager.

Mr. Geppert was editor of the Clarksburg Telegram 21 years. The Daily News was owned by Charles W. Donnelly and the estate of William W. Brown.

Couple Wed 50 Years.

Cumberland, Md., March 24.—Mr. and Mrs. George Weaver, of this town, today celebrated their fiftieth wedding anniversary. Mr. Weaver is a retired Baltimore & Ohio car foreman.

Washington-Annapolis Highway Crosses River

Post Staff Photo.

The new Washington-Annapolis highway is shown in process of construction across the Patuxent River, two miles from its connecting point with Central avenue at the Crain highway near Hall Station, Md. When completed it will give Washingtonians an air line route to Annapolis, 1½ miles shorter than the Defense highway. The road is being constructed with PWA funds.

Nazis Cheer Two Peace Envoys

Simon, Eden Arrive to Seek a Compromise With Hitler.

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in cooperation. He then is to report to France, Italy and the other allies, who will decide their course on the basis of these meetings.

Meanwhile, Eden is to proceed to Moscow, Warsaw and Prague and also will report when he returns on the attitude of Russia, Poland and the Little Entente—Rumania, Jugoslavia and Czechoslovakia.

The parley here is the second in this hurriedly arranged series designed to prevent the rising threat of war and bring Germany back into the concert of nations. The next is scheduled to take place in Stresa, Italy, early next month, after the British peace tours, when the three allies, Italy, France and Britain, will send delegates for another significant meeting April 11.

The next and perhaps final step will be the extraordinary session of the League Council, called at the insistence of France to deal with Germany's rearmament defiance. This was set for the first week in April, but is being postponed until after the Stresa conference, also at France's request.

The parley tomorrow was made more difficult by the war preparations being made by Italy and France, both rushing measures to increase their armies and lengthen the present one-year period of conscription.

Rumania to Demand Its Gold From Russia

By the United Press.

Vienna, March 24.—Whether Rumania remains loyal to France and Czechoslovakia or switches openly to a Polish-German accord in the near future, adding to the war threat, depends largely on the success of a mission to Paris and London this week, headed by Foreign Minister Nicholas Titulescu.

In his hands lies Rumania's international policy and much of her internal affairs for months, possibly years, to come. Also, Titulescu's own political future is more or less at stake.

One of his tasks is to see that the views of the Balkans are accorded due attention in whatever action Great Britain, France and Italy take toward Germany's new attitude on conscription and in decisions the League of Nations may take.

His chief task, however, is more personal—to assure his own political future by persuading France and Britain to bring pressure to bear on Russia, compelling the Soviets to return to Rumania some $200,000,000 worth of gold bars, crown jewels and other national treasure believed to be resting in Russian state vaults.

If Titulescu can regain this fortune his future as foreign minister or even premier, is assured, as well as Rumania's continued loyalty to France. An alliance with Moscow might even follow the far-reaching political repercussions in the dangerous Balkans.

If he fails, he doubtless will be replaced and disappear from political life. His only alternative is to abandon his policy of close friendship with France and boldly desert to the cause of Germany and Poland in their anti-Russian campaigns.

Electric Machine Gun Invented by a Tommy

By the United Press.

London, March 24.—Specifications for an electric machine-gun firing 1,500 rounds a minute and weighing only 27 pounds were submitted to the war office by the inventor, Private James Bagnall, today.

Bagnall, 21, is enlisted in the Royal Warwickshire Regiment. He formerly was an electrical engineer. Two foreign powers were reported seeking the specifications.

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Rome, March 24.—Every 24-year-old youth in all Italy reported to his commanding officer today as the class of 1911 answered the call to the colors.

From villages and hamlets, farms and big cities in every corner of the land youths came running to the call of their government in the greatest peace-time war-machine move in Italy's history, designed to put 660,000 men in the army.

Divisional headquarters throughout the peninsula were filled with recruits, eager for duty. The nation responded swiftly to the call.

The picturesque Alpine regiments are being brought to a full, wartime footing. As a result of the summons of the 1911 class and keeping the 1914 class under colors, Italy's nine mountain regiments will be reinforced and kept in the home area. Every available unit of mountain artillery also will be assigned to the Alpine corps.

Assembling of these units now plainly indicates their destination will be the Austrian frontier where they will be most valuable, being specially trained for mountain tactics.

None of the Alpine units from the 1911 class will be permitted to go to East Africa, where two divisions already have been ordered in the Abyssinian border dispute.

Under the army increases now planned, the mobile divisions certainly will be increased, possibly six-fold. The one stationed at Udine could be mustered on the frontier within 12 hours, experts said. As shown in the maneuvers last August, the mobile units can reach their destination in one-tenth the time taken by an ordinary infantry division.

Meanwhile, Fulvio Suvich, undersecretary for foreign affairs, returned from Paris and reported to Premier Benito Mussolini on Saturday's three-power conference with France and Britain on German rearmament.

British Mission Going Afterward on East Europe Tour.

By the United Press.

Paris, March 24.—France, rushing preparedness plans, will speed her naval construction bill through the Chamber of Deputies tomorrow, calling for laying down two 35,000-ton super-battleships.

The bill probably will be passed without debate, political experts in the corridors said tonight.

One of the new warships is to be laid down before the end of the year, and the other not long after. The measure already has been given speedy approval of the chamber's naval and financial commissions, both of which were spurred into quick action by Germany's rearmament decisions.

The report of the naval commission, submitted by Pierre Appell, indicated France still hopes, however, that these battleships designed to match similar ships ordered by Italy recently, yet will be found unnecessary. If Italy can be talked out of building hers, the French would be inclined to cancel theirs.

The bill in addition to the battleships provides funds for two destroyers of 1,700 tons each. The total appropriation includes 785,000,000 francs (about $12,100,000) for the first battleship (the second probably will not be started until 1937); 848,000,000 francs for two destroyers, and 132,000,000 for stocks, replacements, parts, etc., making a total of 1,265,000,0000 francs ($83,490,000.

Spy Exchange Would Reunite German Beauty and Husband

Briton Shies at 'I Do' And Wedding Is Off

London, March 24. — Right where he should have said "I do," Leslie Kitching shook his head so his wedding to Eva Horton today was called off.

When the preacher of the West Hendon Baptist Church asked the usual question about taking "This woman as your lawful, wedded wife," Kitching made no reply. The parson backed up and tried again, but this time Kitching shook his head—in the negative.

While the bride and her attendants sat and rested the minister talked to Kitching in the vestry, but he could not budge him.

Polish Baron to Return to Warsaw, Theodora Ogurek to Fatherland.

By the Associated Press.

Warsaw, March 24.—A beautiful German woman spy found her hope of happiness bound up today with the fate of Baron George Sosnowsky, the Polish captain whose espionage career caused the beheading of two German noblewomen.

Theodora Ogurek and possibly the husband she married in prison will be returned to Germany in exchange for Sosnowsky, who was condemned to life imprisonment in the Reich. The newlyweds, now in separate prisons, would be reunited.

Miss Ogurek was born in Polish Silesia when that province was part of Germany. Her family, Polish in origin, was Germanized for generations, and her father was an officer in the German army.

So keenly did she resent that eastern provinces were sliced from Germany under the Versailles Treaty that she volunteered to spy for the country she regards as her fatherland.

Greater than her love for Germany was her love for Ernst Drazga, who comes from a part of Silesia that remained German and is therefore a German citizen. They joined in a dangerous espionage career.

They were arrested more than a year ago and tried in January, 1934, before a Warsaw emergency court. Drazga, because of his German citizenship, faced life imprisonment, but the girl seemed doomed to death.

Meanwhile, Leon Sliwinski, a Warsaw attorney engaged to defend her, was greatly impressed by the pluck and patriotism of the young girl who stood her hardships unflinchingly.

He suggested to Drazga that he marry Theodora in order to procure German citizenship for her. Polish authorities, who appreciated that Miss Ogurk spied not for money, but because of patriotism, granted permission for the marriage. A dispensation "in articuli mortis" was given by the church. This obviated the necessity of publishing banns three weeks in advance.

Both permits came the night before the trial. It was late, but the prison chaplain consented to perform the ceremony in the prison chapel.

Sliwinski and one of his colleagues were the two official witnesses, but the little chapel was filled with guards. They even stood between the bride and bridegroom to prevent them from exchanging a single word.

The next morning the trial of the man and wife started. Life imprisonment was decreed for both.

189,677 Germans Sterilized In Nazi Race Purity Drive

By the Associated Press.

Berlin, March 24.—Estimates that 189,677 Germans have been deprived of reproductive powers through operations decreed by Nazis were at hand today concurrently with the opening of a large exhibition showing the wonders of life.

The exposition itself, which brought to thousands graphic displays, charts and models designed to encourage the Hitlerite ideal of better health and sound offspring, formed a climax to the Nazi eugenics and racial welfare drive. The entire show glorified the ideal of flaxen-heared Germans as the best mates.

A lawyers' weekly publication, which estimated the number of sterilizations already performed in Germany at not more than 20,000, said feeble-mindedness, split personality and epilepsy accounted for 93.1 per cent of the reasons the Nazi sterilization courts assigned for carrying out the operations.

An uncounted number of persons, however, have been called to appear before the tribunals.

Sterilization is but one aspect of Nazi theories of racial welfare. Others include increasing the birth rate of farmers and others of "genuinely Nordic physiques," cataloguing Germans on physical bases, and demonstrating the values of these precepts to the population. All this and more the "Wonders of Life" exposition sought to advance.

Dr. Fritz Lens, of Berlin, speaking before the Kaiser Wilhelm Institute for the Advancement of Science, declared that in former years an average of about 20,000 feeble-minded children were born, but that this year, thanks to Nazi measures, has been reduced to about 10,000.

Italy Cuts Discount Rate.

Rome, March 24 (AP).—The bank discount rate in Italy was reduced to 3½ per cent tonight, effective tomorrow. This cheapening of money, however, was accompanied by announcement of a rise in price of certain fundamental products such as bread, rice, butter and oil.

Vets May Flee FERA Camps If Voted Bonus

Its Payment Might Mean Exodus From Barracks on Florida Keys.

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from Washington, the veterans are toned up physically and then sent to the other camps. There is, however, some work at Clearwater. For one thing, the men are engaged in building bulkheads that will change the contour of the beach, causing the sand to wash in instead of out.

Camp No. 5, which is just getting under way, will be at Indian Key Siding. The task of the men sent there will be to fight mosquitoes.

Also there is a camp on the dry Tortugas, the site of old Fort Jefferson. The veterans are "restoring" the fort. There is another camp, but it belongs in a different category. It is that of a company of the Florida National Guard, sent here to keep bootleggers away from the veterans.

If these were ordinary transient camps, there probably would not be so much difficulty with bootleggers and women. But here is the big difference. Transients get $1 a week. The veterans are paid from $30 to $40 a month.

The bootleggers took a lot of this FERA money away before the National Guardsmen arrived and they left behind enough liquor to convert many of the veterans into fist-swinging wild men.

Moonshine Magic.

The cutting of stone in the quarry, the work on the bridge and the drive against mosquitoes, all have been abandoned for the time being. Right now the sole job of the veterans is to get their camps into better condition, to the end that they will be more comfortable.

What is happening in Camp No. 1 is typical. Tents are being replaced with barracks, each of which will be occupied by four men. Not all of the men, however, will live in these barracks. There is a 55-year-old veteran named Shaw who insists on sleeping alone. He lives in a houseboat out where the pelicans idle over the Atlantic.

Soon the camp will have a recreation hall. Here the men will enjoy movies, listen to the radio, play cards, shoot pool or roll dice. For the time being, their "casino" is in a large tent.

The recreation director is a little go-getter named J. H. Huau. He is known to everybody as "Polly." Already he has had the men clear off a baseball diamond and erect a boxing ring.

In the camp are many erstwhile minor league ball players and a number of pugilists, including Jimmie Conway, a former welterweight, who fought the late Young Stribling, Jack Britton and a host of others. He is now 40, but still willing to go in the ring and swap punches.

Shower for Boys.

The camp has a power house and three large tanks to supply the men with water. A bath house being completed has 14 showers and a dressing room at either end. An old hotel is being converted into a hospital.

There is a canteen like the "boys" used to have in the Army, and there is a camp barber and a camp cobbler.

But the revelation really comes when the visitor reaches the mess hall. In the kitchen he finds John Finnegan, erstwhile mess sergeant of the A. E. F. Finnegan tells you that the FERA is spending more for chow here per man than the Army spent in 1917-18. This, he explains, is partly due to prices and partly to the quality of the food.

Here is a typical list of menus:

Breakfast—Hot cakes and bacon, oranges, bread and butter and coffee.

Dinner—Veal cutlet, brown gravy, creamed potatoes, lemon custard, bread and coffee.

Supper—Braised beef, succotash, lima beans, corn, mashed potatoes, bread and coffee.

Geographical Whimsicality.

There is a whimsical note in the geography of the camp, an echo of the days the men spent with the "bonus expeditionary forces" in Washington. They have named their dusty little streets after some of the famous thoroughfares in the National Capital.

There is, for example, a Pennsylvania avenue, a Connecticut avenue, a New York avenue and a Vermont avenue. These streets they named with pride and then the veterans turned on one little path and called it Four-and-a-half street.

To some down-and-outers who are not eligible, this spot might seem a paradise. It does seem so to some of the veterans, but not to all. These latter want their bonus and all the economists in the world could not make them see things differently. For that matter, neither could President Roosevelt.

Mrs. Meadows Remains In Critical Condition

Harrisonburg, Va., March 24 (AP).—Mrs. Stella Meadows, 28, who was shot by her husband 10 days ago, yesterday remained in a critical condition at the local hospital. The bullet entered above the heart, passed through the body and shattered her spine. An operation was performed Thursday.

Hospital attaches described her condition tonight as very grave and physicians said they have little hope for her recovery. Her husband, Ernest Meadows, is in the Luray jail. He claims the shooting was accidental.

1935 Expense To Aid Veterans $660,000,000

$300,000,000 Cut Made Despite Attempts at Raising Budget.

By the Associated Press.

Despite half a dozen changes to make the veterans laws more liberal, the Veterans Bureau figured yesterday that the Federal Government was still spending $300,000,000 a year less for the care of ex-service men than it was before the economy bill cut of 1933.

The bureau asked for $966,838,000 for the fiscal year 1934, but after the economy bill went through, this figure was trimmed to $506,838,000.

Before the year had ended, however, two changes added $96,000,000 to this cost and the bureau wound up by spending $602,838,000 for the 1934 fiscal year.

Estimate was made by the bureau that it could go through the fiscal year 1935, which ends this July, on $546,505,891. The President made another change in the law, however, which added $21,092,205 to the cost. Congress made it a little more and appropriated $567,598,096 and then lowered the bars still another notch to add $90,089,408 to the cost.

Other recent changes by presidential regulations set officials to figuring again and yesterday they produced an estimate that it would cost $660,242,585 by the end of this fiscal year.

This figure they placed alongside the $966,838,000 they had calculated necessary to cover expenses for 1934 to get an estimated remaining annual savings of $300,000,000.

"And virtually all of it is being made by the cutting off of non-service connected cases," one official said.

The estimate for this fiscal year is about the same sum as the Government spent for veterans during the good-time year of 1928. That year it spent $659,008,000. There was a $14,000,000 jump the next year and wide leaps from that time forward until it reached the 1934 peak in estimates. The actual peak of expenditures was in 1932 when $841,400,000 was disbursed.

Altogether, the Government figures it has spent $16,000,000,000 for veterans relief.

Meeting Arranged By Student League

Dr. Haake and Hewes Will Speak at Virginia.

Special Dispatch to The Post.

Charlottesville, Va., March 24.—With student membership and interest mounting in the recently organized University of Virginia chapter of the American Liberty League, leaders of the first collegiate branch of the league to be established in the South have announced plans for a public meeting here April 1.

Two speakers from national headquarters in Washington, Dr. A. J. Haake and Clarence B. Hewes, have been listed for the occasion, and it is expected that others will talk on political and economic principles of the group which opposes so many features of the New Deal.

John H. Blaffer, of Houston, Tex., chairman of the university chapter, and Lawrence Peyton, of Staunton, vice chairman, introduced the movement among the students here, drawing a quick response, especially from law and economics students. Official membership in the chapter has reached 150.

Affiliated with the national organization of which Jouett Shouse is president, the student chapter expects to arrange for an early address here by John W. Davis, Albert C. Ritchie, Alfred E. Smith, or some other prominent figure in the league councils.

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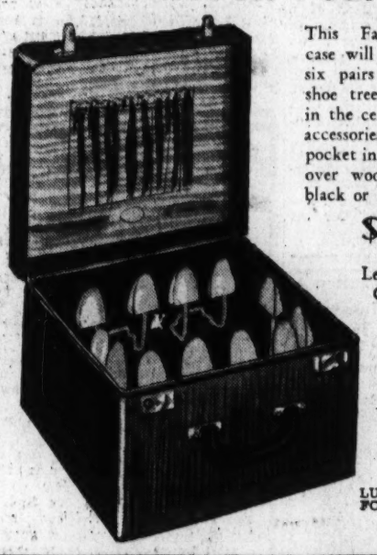

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Post Classified Ads Bring Results

Grace Boyland, Dixie Novelist, DiesinMemphis

Wife of Geldert, Publisher, Was 73; Once Wrote Chicago Column

By the Associated Press.

Memphis, Tenn., March 24.—Mrs. Napoleon Geldert, 73, the former Grace Duffie Boyland, author, journalist and lecturer, died today of a heart ailment. She became critically ill several weeks ago.

Mrs. Geldert was the author of "The Old House," published in 1898; "Hosanna and Huzza," "Kids of Many Colors," "The Kiss of Glory," "Yamma Yamma Land," "Steps to Nowhere," "The Supplanter," "The Piles of Clovis," "Love Finds a Way," a one-act play; "John of Joy," "Conquerors," and many verses, essays, short stories and published lectures. She collaborated with Mrs. Forrestine C. Hooker in her historical novel, "When Geronimo Rode," in 1924.

Her work, "Thy Son Liveth," won recognition in 1918. It dealt with a personal experience and a psychic revelation of a mother whose son had died in France.

Survivors include her husband, Louis N. Geldert, president of a Memphis publishing company; a son, Malcolm Stewart Boylan, and a daughter, Mrs. Clover Roscoe, both Hollywood screen writers.

She was a native of Kalamazoo, Mich., and attended Radcliffe College and the Northwestern Conservatory of Music.

After graduation, she served as art critic on the old Daily Inter-Ocean at Chicago, and later conducted a column, "One-Minute Romances From Real Life," for the Chicago Journal.

Nurses' Head Dies

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MISS LUCY MINNEGERODE.

2 Die in Plane Crash.

Topeka, Kans., March 24 (AP).—Pilot Laverne Norris, 25, and Joe Seaman, 34, of Topeka, were killed today by a nose-dive of an 8-year-old plane they had borrowed for a pleasure trip.

Public Health's Nursing Chief Dies of Stroke

Miss Lucy Minnigerode Is a Victim of Apoplexy at Alexandria.

Miss Lucy Minnigerode, 64, died at 8:30 a. m. yesterday of a stroke of apoplexy at the home of her niece-in-law, Mrs. Eliphalet F. Andrews, on Seminary Hill, Alexandria.

Miss Minnigerode organized the female nursing corps for the United States Public Health Service in 1919. At that time all hospitals now under Veterans' Administration, and the hospitals of the United States Public Health Service, were under one head. The number of hospitals was 76, and nurses under direction of Miss Minnigerode were approximately 1,700. At the time of her death she was head of the Nursing and Dietetics Corps of the United States Public Health Service, comprising approximately 650 nurses and dieticians.

She was born at Oaklands, near Leesburg, Va., February 8, 1871, the daughter of Charles and Virginia Cuthbert Powell Minnigerode. She trained at Bellevue Hospital, New York City. She was one of the first American Red Cross nurses to volunteer for duty overseas, and later spent a year in Red Cross hospitals in Keif, Russia. She was decorated by the Czar with the Cross of St. Anne. In 1925 the Red Cross awarded her the International Florence Nightingale medal. Her lectures on hygienic matters have been translated into seven languages.

Her country home was on Seminary Hill, near Alexandria, where she spent her summers. During the winter she made her home with Dr. Estelle Warner, in Georgetown.

Surviving are five brothers and two sisters — Powell Minnigerode, director of the Corcoran Art Gallery, Washington; George Minnigerode, Washington; Charles Minnigerode, Baltimore; Col. Fitzhugh Lee Minnigerode, U. S. Army, retired, New York City; Capt. Karl Minnigerode, U. S. Army, Peoria, Ill.; Mrs. William Butler, Santiago, Chili, and Miss Anne Minnigerode, Washington.

Funeral services will be conducted at 3 p. m. tomorrow at Vaucleuse, the home of Mrs. Andrews, by the Rev. Dr. Mayer, of the Leesburg Episcopal Church. Burial, which will be private, will be in Middleburg.

Former Gov. Leedy, 86, Kansas, Dies in Canada

Topeka, Kans., March 24 (AP).—State Representative Frank McFarland, of Topeka, said today he had received a telegram advising him of the death in Edmonton, Alberta, Canada, of former Gov. John W. Leedy, 86, oldest ex-Governor of the State.

Leedy was Kansas' chief executive from 1897 to 1899 in the turbulent Populist days.

Sara Manypenny Obsequies Held

D. C. Resident for 30 Years to Be Buried in Ohio.

Funeral services for Miss Sara Manypenny, 73, daughter of Col. George W. Manypenny, Commissioner of Indian Affairs under President Franklin Pierce, were conducted at 3 p. m. yesterday at Hysong's funeral home, 1300 N street northwest. The body was taken to Newark, Ohio, for burial there.

Miss Manypenny died Saturday at the home of Mrs. Franklin Woods Arnold, 4514 Forty-fourth street northwest, after a long illness. She had lived in the District for about 30 years, a number of which she spent in the employ of the Library of Congress. She retired about three years ago.

Miss Manypenny's mother was a sister of Gen. Charles R. Woods and of the late William B. Woods, an associate justice of the United States Supreme Court.

Mrs. Annie Fleishman To Be Buried Today

The funeral of Mrs. Annie P. Fleishman, wife of Charles Fleishman, who died Friday night at her home in the Portner Apartments, Fifteenth and U streets northwest, will be held at 2:30 p. m. today at the chapel of Joseph Gawler's Sons, 1750 Pennsylvania avenue northwest. Burial will be in Fort Lincoln Cemetery.

Mrs. Fleishman, a life-long resident of Washington, had been ill eight months. She is survived by five children, Mrs. M. J. Walton and Harry W., Charles R., Raymond F. and Lawrence R. Fleishman; a brother, Charles R. Waddell, and six grandchildren.

Burial Rites Today For Col. McKenney

Engineer Was a Life-Long Resident of D. C.

Funeral services for Col. Charles Albert McKenney, 65, prominent District consulting engineer, will be held in the residence at 1523 Rhode Island avenue today at 3 p. m. Burial will be private in Oak Hill Cemetery.

Col. McKenney, a life-long resident of Washington, died Saturday in George Washington University Hospital.

He was graduated from Princeton University with the class of 1892 and shortly afterward entered the District Engineering Department, serving there until he accepted a position with the War Department several years before the war.

After the war he helped organize the firm of Black, McKenney & Stewart, consulting engineers.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Marion Miller McKenney; two sons, James Hall McKenney 3d and Charles Albert McKenney, jr.; a daughter, Miss Francesca McKenney, of the Washington Post staff, and a brother, Frederic Duncan McKenney.

C. H. Sloan to Be Buried In Arlington Cemetery

Funeral services for Charles H. C. Sloan, 17, son of Col. and Mrs. T. Donaldson Sloan, U. S. A., of Lawrence, Long Island, who died Thursday in Phoenix, Ariz., of accidental gunshot wounds, will be held at 2 p. m. tomorrow from the Fort Myer entrance to Arlington National Cemetery. He was the nephew of Brig. Gen. and Mrs. James E. Chaney, Air Corps, U. S. A.

Young Sloan, who had been attending a ranch school near Cody, Wyo., had gone with a party of other students to a ranch near Phoenix, and while there was wounded when a shotgun accidentally discharged. He died two hours before the arrival of his father, who left the East by airplane.

Widow to Drop Ashes Of Collins From Plane

New York, March 24 (AP).—An aerial cortege will roar over Roosevelt Field Monday in tribute to James "Jimmy" Collins, test pilot, and his ashes will be scattered from a plane over the field Thursday.

Collins' widow and Jack Connelly, an old flying pal, will fly high over the field to scatter his ashes from a funeral urn.

The pilot was killed last Friday when his engine broke loose as he came out of a 12,000-foot dive 8,000 feet above Farmingdale, Long Island.

J. J. Kemp Dies; Ex-U. S. Official

Spent 30 Years as Civil Service Worker.

James J. Kemp, who spent more than 30 years with the Civil Service Commission here, retiring as a legal examiner about four years ago, died Saturday at his home at Lewes Beach, Del., the Associated Press reported. Kemp, who was 74, had been ill nine months.

James G. Yaden, chief of the examining division of the Civil Service Commission and Kemp's former superior, said last night:

"We all thought a good deal of J. J. Kemp. He was a very fine man, easy to get along with, very studious and quiet."

He leaves his wife, Mrs. Martha J. Kemp; two step-children, Mrs. Nicholas Bogan and Mrs. Frank W. Richardson, both of Washington; a sister, Mrs. Bolling Hobson, of Elkton, Va., and a brother, Charles Kemp, of Gulfport, Miss.

Charles L. Lee, Inventor, Dies at Home in Ohio

Dayton, Ohio, March 24 (AP).—Charles L. Lee, 65, who is credited with originating or developing more than 1,000 inventions, died in his home today after an illness of three months.

For many years he was a close associate of Charles F. Kettering, Dayton inventor-industrialist.

STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

American Eagle Fire Insurance Company, of New York,

On the 31st day of December, 1934, as required under Section 647 of the Code of Law for the District of Columbia.

INCOME.

Net premiums	$3,066,245.52
Total interest and rents	488,976.33
Other income	127,410.18
Total income	$3,682,632.13

DISBURSEMENTS.

Net amount paid policyholders for losses	$1,350,641.05
All other disbursements	1,765,895.93
Total disbursements	$3,116,536.98

ASSETS.

Bonds and stocks	$10,242,165.00
Deposits in banks	1,075,250.64
Agents' balances	694,387.86
Interest and rents due or accrued	51,262.61
Gross assets	$12,063,066.11
Deduct assets not admitted	25,595.21
Total admitted assets	$12,037,470.90

LIABILITIES.

Net unpaid claims	$725,945.66
Total unearned premiums	3,258,173.33
Other liabilities	609,820.00
Capital paid up	1,000,000.00
Surplus over all liabilities	6,443,531.91
Total	$12,037,470.90

NET PREMIUMS WRITTEN DURING THE YEAR.

	Total	District of Columbia
Fire	$2,422,373.40	$17,154.04
Ocean marine	158,667.50	23.29
Motor vehicle	187,047.94	336.12
Earthquake	4,358.48	.....
Inland navigation and transportation	166,927.54	2,930.91
Tornado, windstorm, and cyclone	111,171.45	9.21
Hail	8,624.45	.....
Sprinkler leakage	7,555.71	.....
Riot, civil commotion, and explosion	22,090.96	.22
All other	1,830.19	115.68
	$3,086,245.62	$20,569.47

C. W. PIERCE, Vice President.

J. T. HORAN, Assistant Secretary.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 4th day of February, 1935. (Seal.) W. A. WEBER, Notary Public.

Notary Public Queens County, Clerk's No. 5338; Register's No. 5310. Certificate filed in New York County, Clerk's No. 137, Register's No. 5-W-95. Commission expires March 30, 1935.

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STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

Security Insurance Co. of New Haven, of New Haven, Connecticut.

On the 31st day of December, 1934, as required under Section 647 of the Code of Law for the District of Columbia.

INCOME.

Net premiums	$3,786,345.61
Total interest and rents	411,333.99
Other income	92,519.75
Total income	$4,290,199.35

DISBURSEMENTS.

Net amount paid policyholders for losses	$1,752,754.13
All other disbursements	2,506,965.96
Total disbursements	$4,259,720.09

ASSETS.

Real estate	$592,870.00
Mortgage loans on real estate	831,650.00
Bonds and stocks	8,276,659.44
Cash in company's office	37,666.42
Deposits in banks	287,593.95
Agents' balances	548,926.39
Interest and rents due or accrued	117,465.89
All other assets	152,245.74
Gross assets	$10,845,077.83
Deduct assets not admitted	939,734.69
Total admitted assets	$9,905,343.14

LIABILITIES.

Net unpaid claims	$662,209.14
Total unearned premiums	3,723,090.15
Other liabilities	508,962.89
Capital paid up	2,000,000.00
Surplus over all liabilities	3,011,080.96
Total	$9,905,343.14

NET PREMIUMS WRITTEN DURING THE YEAR.

	Total	District of Columbia
Fire	$2,771,163.24	$8,115.54
Ocean marine	298,483.30	.....
Motor vehicles	225,255.26	513.06
Earthquake	3,191.70	.....
Inland navigation and transportation	181,154.23	982.33
Tornado, windstorm and cyclone	271,190.34	29.97
Hail	12,213.24	.....
Sprinkler leakage	6,751.23	2.44
Riot, civil commotion and explosion	14,719.60	11.92
Aircraft damage	553.82	.....
Rain and flood	1,283.68	.....
Smoke & smudge	385.97	.....
	$3,786,345.61	$9,631.44

W. PERDUE JOHNSON, Vice President.

W. A. THOMSON, Secretary.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25th day of February, 1935. (Seal.) HENRY H. GALIN, Notary Public.

STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

Buffalo Insurance Co., of Buffalo, New York

On the 31st day of December, 1934, as required under Section 647 of the Code of Law for the District of Columbia.

INCOME.

Net premiums	$1,998,558.90
Total interest and rents	239,099.23
Other income	42,540.63
Total income	$2,280,198.76

DISBURSEMENTS.

Net amount paid policyholders for losses	$708,297.56
All other disbursements	1,455,755.67
Total disbursements	$2,164,053.23

ASSETS.

Real estate	$1,375,595.27
Mortgage loans on real estate	539,540.00
Bonds and stocks	3,446,995.51
Cash in company's office	3,405.64
Deposits in banks	581,871.50
Agents' balances	510,878.01
Interest and rents due or accrued	40,577.54
All other assets	183,835.41
Gross assets	$6,632,698.88
Deduct assets not admitted	258,696.75
Total admitted assets	$6,394,002.13

LIABILITIES.

Net unpaid claims	$142,821.26
Total unearned premiums	2,777,191.82
Other liabilities	1,112,428.64
Capital paid up	1,000,000.00
Surplus over all liabilities	1,961,560.41
Total	$6,394,002.13

NET PREMIUM WRITTEN DURING THE YEAR.

	Total	District of Columbia
Fire	$1,922,419.99	$6,460.68
Ocean marine	23,236.86	.....
Earthquake	8,250.84	.....
Inland navigation and transportation	11,815.31	96.85
Tornado, windstorm and cyclone	32,833.90	1,048.75
	$1,998,558.90	$7,606.28

SIDNEY R. KENNEDY, President.

G. E. HOUCK, Secretary.

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STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

Security Insurance Company, of New Haven, Conn.,

On the 31st day of December, 1934, as required under Section 647 of the Code of Law for the District of Columbia.

INCOME.

Net premiums	$3,786,345.61
Total interest and rents	411,333.99
Other income	92,519.75
Total income	$4,290,199.35

DISBURSEMENTS.

Net amount paid policyholders for losses	$1,752,754.13
All other disbursements	2,506,965.96
Total disbursements	$4,259,720.09

ASSETS.

Real estate	$592,870.00
Mortgage loans on real estate	831,650.00
Bonds and stocks	8,276,659.44
Cash in company's office	37,666.42
Deposits in banks	287,593.95
Agents' balances	548,926.39
Interest and rents due or accrued	117,465.89
All other assets	152,245.74
Gross assets	$10,845,077.83
Deduct assets not admitted	939,734.69
Total admitted assets	$9,905,343.14

LIABILITIES.

Net unpaid claims	$662,209.14
Total unearned premiums	3,723,090.15
Other liabilities	508,962.89
Capital paid up	2,000,000.00
Surplus over all liabilities	3,011,080.96
Total	$9,905,343.14

NET PREMIUMS WRITTEN DURING THE YEAR.

	Total	District of Columbia
Fire	$2,771,163.24	$8,115.54
Ocean marine	298,483.30	.....
Motor vehicles	225,255.26	513.06
Earthquake	3,191.70	.....
Inland navigation and transportation	181,154.23	982.33
Tornado, windstorm and cyclone	271,190.34	29.97
Hail	12,213.24	.....
Sprinkler leakage	6,751.23	2.44
Riot, civil commotion and explosion	14,719.60	11.92
Aircraft damage	553.82	.....
Rain and flood	1,283.68	.....
Smoke and smudge	385.97	.....
	$3,786,345.61	$9,631.44

W. PERDUE JOHNSON, Vice President.

W. A. THOMSON, Secretary.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25th day of February, 1935. (Seal.) HENRY H. GALIN, Notary Public.

STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

American Alliance Insurance Company, of New York,

On the 31st day of December, 1934, as required under Section 647 of the Code of Law for the District of Columbia.

INCOME.

Net premiums	$2,180,975.11
Total interest and rents	394,073.27
Other income	19,141.24
Total income	$2,594,189.62

DISBURSEMENTS.

Net amount paid policyholders for losses	$710,206.79
All other disbursements	1,561,637.80
Total disbursements	$2,271,846.59

ASSETS.

Bonds and stocks	8,800,736.92
Deposits in banks	148,120.08
Agents' balances	174,834.21
Interest and rents due or accrued	58,301.00
Gross assets	$9,281,992.21
Deduct assets not admitted	1,492,760.92
*Total admitted assets	$7,789,231.29

LIABILITIES.

Net unpaid claims	$182,816.00
Total unearned premiums	1,875,427.31
Other liabilities	110,500.00
*Capital paid up	3,000,000.00
*Surplus over all liabilities	2,611,487.98
Total	$7,789,231.29

NET PREMIUMS WRITTEN DURING THE YEAR.

	Total	District of Columbia
Fire	$1,869,495.66	$5,826.26
Motor vehicles	75,326.11	646.84
Earthquake	3,106.22	.....
Inland navigation and transportation	52,203.77	673.54
Tornado, windstorm and cyclone	144,864.76	336.01
Hail	12,310.93	.....
Sprinkler leakage	6,531.51	.08
Riot, civil commotion, and explosion	11,255.30	.30
All other	3,881.85	.....
	$2,180,975.11	$7,507.03

*On the basis of December 31, 1934, market quotations for all bonds and stocks owned, the total admitted assets would be increased to $7,842,331.29 and the Policyholders' Surplus to $3,664,587.98.

D. R. ACKERMAN, Vice President.

J. G. NIEDERLITZ, Assistant Secretary.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13th day of February, 1935. (Seal.) J. HOMER REED, Notary Public.

Kings County No. 181. Certificate filed in New York County No. 520.

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STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

U. S. Branch of the Atlas Assurance Company, Ltd.

On the 31st day of December, 1934, as required under Section 647 of the Code of Law for the District of Columbia.

INCOME.

Net premiums	$2,655,307.75
Total interest and rents	221,362.28
Other income	106,633.52
Total income	$2,983,303.55

DISBURSEMENTS.

Net amount paid policyholders for losses	$1,133,359.26
All other disbursements	1,775,578.42
Total disbursements	$2,908,937.68

ASSETS.

Bonds and stocks	$5,644,818.88
Cash in company's office	19,895.85
Deposits in banks	351,323.33
Agents' balances	382,648.33
Interest and rents due or accrued	52,268.00
All other assets	77,156.32
Gross assets	$6,928,110.91
Deduct assets not admitted	645,182.17
Total admitted assets	$6,282,928.74

LIABILITIES.

Net unpaid claims	$276,769.92
Total unearned premiums	2,858,173.86
Other liabilities	396,098.78
Statutory deposit	400,000.00
Surplus over all liabilities	2,348,884.18
Total	$6,282,928.74

NET PREMIUMS WRITTEN DURING THE YEAR.

	Total	District of Columbia
Fire	$2,152,241.01	$5,514.79
Ocean marine	2,614.65	.....
Motor vehicles	258,608.74	1,318.13
Earthquake	10,398.61	8.40
Inland navigation and transportation	76,537.40	72.89
Tornado, windstorm, and cyclone	142,046.51	300.46
Sprinkler leakage	2,419.39	23.09
Riot, civil commotion and explosion	8,729.38	59.83
All other	712.06	.....
	$2,655,307.75	$7,178,23

RONALD R. MARTIN, U. S. Manager.

FRANK J. BARRY, Secretary.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20th day of February, 1935. (Seal.) JENNIE M. SCHIFF, Notary Public.

Queens County Clerk's No. 1616; Reg. No. 5000. N. Y. County Clerk's No. 120, Reg. No. 5898. Term expires March 30, 1935.

STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

Caledonian Insurance Co., of Scotland,

On the 31st day of December, 1934, as required under Section 647 of the Code of Law for the District of Columbia.

INCOME.

Net premiums	$1,647,056.12
Total interest and rents	129,112.52
Other income	35,488.21
Total income	$1,811,656.85

DISBURSEMENTS.

Net amount paid policyholders for losses	$716,688.96
All other disbursements	1,058,570.75
Total disbursements	$1,775,259.71

ASSETS.

Bonds and stocks	$3,105,955.43
Cash in company's office	300.00
Deposits in banks	262,528.06
Agents' balances	332,994.41
Interest and rents due or accrued	28,876.23
All other assets	9,228.39
Gross assets	$3,739,882.54
Deduct assets not admitted	292,954.58
Total admitted assets	$3,446,927.96

LIABILITIES.

Net unpaid claims	$140,839.59
Total unearned premiums	1,651,142.99
Other liabilities	161,672.98
Capital paid up, statutory deposit	200,000.00
Surplus over all liabilities	1,293,222.40
Total	$3,446,927.96

NET PREMIUMS WRITTEN DURING THE YEAR.

	Total	District of Columbia
Fire	$1,231,816.58	$5,926.11
Motor vehicles	331,132.77	3,095.13
Earthquake	4,230 75	.....
Tornado, windstorm and cyclone	70,082.45	305.02
Sprinkler leakage	2,679.76	.01
Riot, civil commotion and explosion	6,905.50	.23
Aircraft	208.31	10.33
	$1,647,056.12	$9,336.83

ROBT. E. CLARK, U. S. Manager.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th day of February, 1935. (Seal.) THOMAS J. O'NEILL, Notary Public.

STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

The Employers' Fire Insurance Company, 110 Milk Street, of Boston, Massachusetts,

On the 31st day of December, 1934, as required under Section 647 of the Code of Law for the District of Columbia.

INCOME.

Net premiums	$1,916,444.96
Total interest and rents	153,319.86
Other income	15,711.42
Total income	$2,085,476.24

DISBURSEMENTS.

Net amount paid policyholders for losses	$727,580.43
All other disbursements	1,285,501.64
Total disbursements	$2,013,082.07

ASSETS.

Bonds and stocks	$4,377,078.25
Deposits in banks	327,009.95
Agents' balances	372,674.97
Interest and rents due or accrued	31,272.00
All other assets	18,953.22
Gross assets	$5,126,988.39
Deduct assets not admitted	956,039.21
Total admitted assets	$4,170,949.18

LIABILITIES.

Net unpaid claims	$201,619.92
Total unearned premiums	1,592,653.91
Other liabilities	265,845.26
Capital paid up	1,000,000.00
Surplus over all liabilities	1,110,830.09
Total	$4,170,949.18

NET PREMIUMS WRITTEN DURING THE YEAR.

	Total	District of Columbia
Fire	$1,148,753.02	$2,182.16
Ocean marine	247.86	.....
Motor vehicles	594,278.78	1,345.42
Earthquake	1,337.90	.....
Inland navigation and transportation	3,784.92	726.83
Tornado, windstorm, and cyclone	78,536.80	66.78
Sprinkler leakage	3,976.88	.01
Riot, civil commotion, and explosion	5,452.37	12.01
All other	870.15	.....
	$1,916,444.96	$4,336.21

ARTEMAS B. POOR, Vice President.

FRANKLYN P. HORTON, Secretary.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26th day of February, 1935. (Seal.) CHARLES ELMER HOUGHTON, Notary Public.

STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

American Employers' Insurance Company, of Boston, Massachusetts,

On the 31st day of December, 1934, as required under Section 647 of the Code of Law for the District of Columbia.

INCOME.

Net premiums	$5,107,500.29
Total interest and rents	266,048.84
Other income	327,042.15
Total income	$5,700,591.28

DISBURSEMENTS.

Net amount paid policyholder for losses	$2,641,894.69
All other disbursements	2,477,600.22
Total disbursements	$5,119,494.91

ASSETS.

Bonds and stock	$5,904,202.35
Deposits in banks	858,729.77
Premiums in course of collection	875,861.70
Interest and rents due or accrued	52,920.02
All other assets	94,193.88
Gross assets	$7,785,907.72
Deduct assets not admitted	70,431.74
Total admitted assets	$7,715,475.98

Securities carried at $624,502.77 in the above statement are deposited as required by law.

LIABILITIES.

Total unpaid claims	$2,954,002.00
Total unearned premiums	1,856,255.63
Other liabilities	802,344.26
Capital paid up	1,000,000.00
Surplus over all liabilities	1,102,874.09
Total	$7,715,475.98

NET PREMIUMS WRITTEN DURING THE YEAR.

	Total	District of Columbia
Accident	$44,788.06	$68.75
Health	8,426.99	.....
Auto liability	1,736,238.25	2,107.09
Liability other than auto	593,037.83	961.40
Workmen's compensation	1,257,268.68	5,062.67
Fidelity	288,295.72	1,120.89
Surety	283,830.76	3,831.70
Plate glass	82,362.25	97.96
Burglary and theft	144,982.89	370.85
Steam boiler	66,076.12	157.36
Machinery	10,243.48	.....
Auto property damage	544,409.30	804.53
Auto collision	34,797.37	196.50
Property damage and collision other than auto	16,999.08	20.79
Collective	17,523.59	.....
Totals	$5,107,500.29	$12,800.49

ARTEMAS B. POOR, Vice President.

FRANKLYN P. HORTON, Secretary.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23d day of February, 1935. (Seal.) CHARLES ELMER HOUGHTON, Notary Public.

STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

The Employers' Liability Assurance Corporation, Limited, of London, England,

On the 31st day of December, 1934, as required under Section 647 of the Code of Law for the District of Columbia.

INCOME.

Net premiums	$28,481,330.34
Total interest and rents	1,852,634.97
Other income	1,063,140.91
Total income	$31,097,128.22

DISBURSEMENTS.

Net amount paid policyholders for losses	$14,376,127.54
All other disbursements	15,290,742.51
Total disbursements	$29,666,870.05

ASSETS.

Real estate	$4,746,240.65
Mortgage loans on real estate	85,000.00
Bonds and stocks	23,672,809.16
Cash in company's office	3,813.73
Deposits in banks	1,637,742.77
Premiums in course of collection	4,786,985.24
Interest and rents due or accrued	276,888.23
All other assets	739,311.33
Gross assets	$35,948,791.11
Deduct assets not admitted	307,704.03
Total admitted assets	$35,641,087.08

LIABILITIES.

Total unpaid claims	$17,116,463.00
Total unearned premiums	9,143,941.32
Other liabilities	3,135,116.98
Statutory deposit	250,000.00
Surplus over all liabilities	5,995,565.78
Total	$35,641,087.08

NET PREMIUMS WRITTEN DURING THE YEAR.

	Total	District of Columbia
Accident	$307,993.71	$1,336.62
Health	100,707.91	100.98
Noncancellable accident and health	507.10	.....
Auto liability	8,246,107.85	14,406.64
Liability other than auto	4,544,175.80	12,632.19
Workmen's compensation	9,967,906.53	58,431.23
Fidelity	651,287.91	945.62
Surety	283,249.80	164.07
Plate glass	316,420.02	930.80
Burglary and theft	657,284.70	3,474.38
Steam boiler	381,000.29	221.57
Machinery	184,941.36	76.88
Auto property damage	2,445,038.89	8,007.89
Auto collision	218,079.45	667.96
Property damage and collision other than auto	158,545.72	872.17
Collective	24,043.30	.....
Totals	$28,481,330.34	$101,637.24

Securities carried at $1,319,304.56 in the above statement are deposited as required by law.

EDWARD C. STONE, United States Manager.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21st day of February, 1935. (Seal.) CHARLES ELMER HOUGHTON, Notary Public.

STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

U. S. Branch, Norwich Union Fire Insurance Society, Ltd., of Norwich, England,

On the 31st day of December, 1934, as required under Section 647 of the Code of Law for the District of Columbia.

INCOME.

Net premiums	$2,720,593.25
Total interest and rents	262,727.51
Other income	119,932.12
Total income	$3,103,252.88

DISBURSEMENTS

Net amount paid policyholders for losses	$1,151,061.14
All other disbursements	2,622,732.67
Total disbursements	$3,773,793.81

ASSETS.

Real estate	$175,000.00
Bonds and stocks	4,526,364.54
Cash in company's office	500.00
Deposits in banks	488,047.20
Agents' balances	524,455.58
Interest and rents due or accrued	60,929.89
All other assets	277,623.18
Gross assets	$6,052,920.39
Deduct assets not admitted	105,832.88
Total admitted assets	$5,947,087.51

LIABILITIES.

Net unpaid claims	$395,024.12
Total unearned premiums	2,818,116.21
Other liabilities	379,310.28
Deposit capital	400,000.00
Surplus over all liabilities	1,954,636.90
Total	$5,947,087.51

NET PREMIUMS WRITTEN DURING THE YEAR.

	Total	District of Columbia
Fire	$2,215,373.75	$7,511.11
Ocean marine	159,786.25	.....
Motor vehicles	55,891.80	439.29
Earthquake	13,501.70	.....
Inland navigation and transportation	132,405.70	.....
Tornado, windstorm, and cyclone	129,667.28	517.11
Hail	1,100	.....
Sprinkler leakage	4,990.16	.03
Riot, civil commotion, and explosion	6,495.75	.02
All other	2,399.86	16.80
	$2,720,593.25	$8,484.36

HART DARLINGTON, U. S. Manager.

EVERARD A. SMITH, Secretary.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th day of February, 1935. (Seal.) WILLIAM G. OETTINGER, Notary Public.

No. 887, Nassau County, New York. New York County Ctf. 2, Registers No. 6-0-1. Commission expires March 30, 1936.

Valuations on basis approved by National Convention of Insurance Commissioners if actual December 31, 1934, market quotations of Bonds & Stocks had been used the asset would be $6,234,-857.56 and policy holders surplus $2,642,408.97.

STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF

The London & Lancashire Insurance Company, Ltd., of London, England,

On the 31st day of December, 1934, as required under Section 647 of the Code of Law for the District of Columbia.

INCOME.

Net premiums	$3,392,539.64
Total interest and rents	288,460.17
Other income	29,441.56
Total income	$3,710,441.37

DISBURSEMENTS.

Net amount paid policyholders for losses	$1,251,199.21
All other disbursements	2,454,756.94
Total disbursements	$3,705,956.15

ASSETS.

Bonds and stocks	$6,328,546.26
Cash in company's office	4,588.98
Deposits in banks	863,391.73
Agents' balances	743,257.84
Interest and rents due or accrued	68,689.80
All other assets	85,311.60
Gross assets	$8,095,786.21
Deduct assets not admitted	409,577.04
Total admitted assets	$7,686,209.17

LIABILITIES.

Net unpaid claims	$256,887.00
Total unearned premiums	3,578,895.98
Other liabilities	324,936.30
Deposit capital	400,000.00
Surplus over all liabilities	3,125,489.89
Total	$7,686,209.17

NET PREMIUMS WRITTEN DURING THE YEAR.

	Total	District of Columbia
Fire	$2,761,084.80	$8,366.16
Motor vehicles	367,181.43	62.26
Earthquake	13,162.31	.....
Inland navigation and transportation	6,346.78	11.45
Tornado, windstorm, and cyclone	218,462.11	53.09
Sprinkler leakage	9,846

Maurice Avery, Ex-Bibliothec In D. C., Is Dead

Former Officer of Library of Congress Expert on Rare Books.

Maurice Hussey Avery, 53, of 3701 Massachusetts avenue northwest, former officer of the Library of Congress and an authority on rare books, died yesterday after a brief illness.

Mr. Avery was born in Nashua, N. H., the son of Charles H. and Ida L. Avery. He was the descendant of persons prominent in the founding of the Bay Colony and the development of Massachusetts. After graduating from Dartmouth in 1903, he continued his studies at the New York State Library School, graduating in 1905.

From 1905 to 1927 Mr. Avery was connected with the Library of Congress, becoming well known for his knowledge of book values and rare books. He was responsible for acquisition of many fine items in the library, including the John Boyd Thatcher collection on the French Revolution.

Mr. Avery resigned from the Library of Congress in 1927 to devote his time to private interests and to travel. That year he married Evelyn Fant, of Washington, whose brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Joshua Evans, jr., are identified with the banking and university life of the city. He was a Scottish Rite Mason, belonging to St. John's Lodge, No. 11, and Albert Pike Consistory, Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite, both of this city.

He also was affiliated with the Sons of the American Revolution, Phi Gamma Delta Fraternity and the University Club, of Washington.

Mr. Avery is survived by his wife and a brother, Philip S. Avery, of Boston and Wellesley Hills, Mass.

CherryTreesBloom As Spring Nears

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the first time. Particularly resplendent were two great lilac bushes, one alongside the State Department, where tourists used it as the background for numerous snapshots, and the other in front of the Pan-American Union.

The Japanese magnolia tree near the Union Building was heaped high with new white blossoms.

Grass was at its greenest and highest of the year. On the White House lawn it looked as though grass-cutting services would soon be required.

Washington went outdoors. Traffic was exceptionally heavy "even for Sunday," both the park and metropolitan police reported. But there were exceptionally few accidents.

The parks and Zoo were crowded. Bridle paths seemed like a parade lane. An exuberant horse scampered away from his master near the Monument. Bicycle riders wheeled across Arlington Memorial Bridge, and girls were roller skating in the still-empty basin of the Airport Pool. On the river many canoes made their appearance.

Tourists Pouring Into City.

In front of every one of Washington's standard Sunday sights, license plates of automobiles indicated an early influx of tourists.

Added to usual attractions was the greatest show of oil paintings ever staged in Washington—the fourteenth biennial exhibition of contemporary American oil paintings in the Corcoran Gallery of Art. It opened to the public yesterday, and the public, like society the night before, was present "en masse."

The fashion parade was marked by several pairs of white shoes, twinkling on plump wanderers near the Ellipse grounds. One straw hat was rumored about, and Representative Harold Knutson, of Minnesota, expressed a strong desire to try his out. But he didn't.

It was not too warm—67 at its peak, and not too cool—54 at its lowest. It was a glorious Sunday. The season's record for hand-in-hand twosomes was shattered, Cupid reported.

Meanwhile, across the District line in Prince Georges County, Md., it was the peak of the forest fire season, a season that always accompanies spring and is usually blamed on careless picnickers frolicking amid the dry grass and leaves of last fall.

Four county volunteer fire departments were called out to fight a blaze, just at twilight, near Bright Seat, Md., just off Sheriff road. Before they could halt it, 10 acres of pine and oak trees on property belonging to John F. White, of Bright Seat, had been destroyed.

Volunteer fire departments from Bladensburg, Cottage City, Tuxedo-Cheverley and Capitol Heights battled the fire for an hour and a half.

FHA Essay Contest Planned in Schools

Prizes to Be Awarded for Outstanding Essays.

A better housing educational contest open to all high schools in the country will be started April 1, the Federal Housing Administration announced yesterday. A national committee of industrialists will donate prizes.

The contest will be based on an essay written in speech form to be delivered orally in not to exceed six minutes. Elimination will be made by districts. Two students, a boy and a girl, will be elected in each school district. These will compete in regional finals and the winners in State finals. The contest will be concluded with a national competition.

A committee sponsoring the contest is headed by Dr. John W. Studebaker, Commissioner of Education.

Odd Fellows Plan Party.

A card party and bingo game for the benefit of the Odd Fellows will be held in their hall on Spencer street, Hyattsville, Friday night.

Bishop Mouzon Links Prosperity and Religion

Robot Is U. S. Symbol, Says the Rev. Miller, Assailing 'Fury.'

Morality and religion are so surely the foundations for prosperity that any abiding good times depend on the moral character of a people, Bishop Edwin D. Mouzon, of the Methodist Episcopal Church South, declared in his sermon yesterday in Mount Vernon Place Methodist Episcopal Church South.

Bishop Mouzon, speaking on the subject, "Religion, Morality and Prosperity," said there can be no morality, except in religion, and no religion except in God. All these elements are essential to prosperity, he held.

"Morality," he said, "is not just some conventional way of living. It corresponds to the eternal character of God. Right is that which is in harmony with the activities of God in His universe. Wrong is that which is contrary to the eternal character and will of God. Therefore does the voice of conscience cry out when one has sinned against the moral order.

"It is often said that there is no connection between righteousness and prosperity. Religion has to do with the total life of the man. Religion, morality and prosperity are inseparably bound up together.

"This does not mean that every good man will accumulate wealth. That would be a mistaken idea of what is meant by true prosperity. Wealth and happiness are not synonymous and wealth has often been gathered by unrighteous means. Nor does this mean that every good man will be free from sorrow and disappointment, for we are bound up in one bundle of life; the innocent suffer with the guilty and for the guilty and often more than the guilty. But what it does mean is that temporal blessings are in the nature of things connected with Christian living. If the position here taken is doubted, let one imagine a state of society in which moral laws are universally disregarded, in which no one has any respect for the Ten Commandments, it will be evident at once that in such a society such a thing as any real prosperity would be entirely impossible. Or, let one visit certain portions of the world, whether in foreign lands or in sections of some of the great cities of America, where there is little or no regard for the fundamental laws of morality, and one will see immediately the necessary connection between morality and prosperity.

Robot Is U. S. Symbol, Protests Rev. Miller

Branding our "man-centered" civilization a failure, the Rev. Raphael H. Miller, pastor of National City Christian Church, yesterday called upon his congregation to try a "Christ centered way of life."

Preaching on "The Revelations of Silence," Dr. Miller said modern life is marked by externalism and immediacy. "We live on the surface," he charged. "We are driven by things. The robot is the symbol of national life, regimented, standardized and impersonal.

"Ours is a world of noise, fury and haste. Loudness and speed mark our activities in every area. Our homes, our schools, our business, our legislation and even our religion are set to the tempo of ever increasing miles per hour and quantitative production. The most tragic breakdown is not of economics, but of inner life—of personal character.

"The supreme struggle is not of a man to save his property, but to save himself. We need a restoration of the real significance of the vocabulary of personal values.

There is need for a revival of personal religion which shall go to the centers of thought and purpose.

"The strenuous life is all right if it is backed by an inner life of meditation, dedication and trust.

"God has something to say to this distracted world if we will pause long enough to hear. We talk too much and listen too little.

Faith Is World Need, Declares Dr. McGregor

Comparing the fear and restlessness of the modern world with of the era of the early Christian Church, the Rev. [illegible] McGregor, D. D., guest preacher, yesterday at Washington Cathedral, called upon his hearers to have faith in their creed.

Dr. McGregor, secretary of the department of religious education at headquarters of the Church, New York, took as subject "The Nicene Creed." pointed out that it came into existence after the period of the Christian persecution in the Roman Empire. He described it as an attempt on the part of the Christian Church to state the faith which had upeld her people in their great trials.

"The great need of the modern world is for faith and confidence," said Dr. McGregor. "Our modern life is weak because we have no great faith to give us direction in life. * * * The early church conquered the world and gave joy and vigor to the lives of men because it was able to give to them a great faith, a rich and meaningful interpretation of life.

"The message of the creed is that the life that was in Jesus Christ and the Christian life in the hearts and lives of men today is greater and more wonderful than anything else in the world. The phrase in the creed, 'Begotten, not made,' is not merely a statement about Jesus of Nazareth, who lived so long ago, it is the statement that the Christian life which flows from Him and which is living in life today is the very life of God himself. All other things in creation will pass away, for they are the works of God; but the Christian life is not one of the works of God, it is the life of God himself and will never pass away."

Spiritual Sloth 'Sin,' Pastor Declares

Sloth, which results in indifference in spiritual concerns of the church, was redefined as one of the seven deadly sins by the Rev. J. Frederic Wenchel, pastor of Christ Lutheran Church, in his Sunday morning sermon.

"Sloth," the pastor said, "is a state of indolence and inactivity induced by indifference and weariness or disappointment and sadness in matters in which there ought to be enthusiasm and energetic endeavor.

"Most serious and harmful sloth is in spiritual things; there it becomes a deadly sin. This is because Christianity deals with the noblest and holiest things of life upon which depend man's highest welfare in this life and in the life to come. To lose interest and to become weary and indolent in these things is not a condemnation of the Church of Jesus Christ, but a condemnation of one's self."

The Rev. Herzog Decries Despair as Unchristian

Cries of those nonbelievers who say "hope is gone" are misleading, the Rev. Charles G. Herzog, S. J., of the theological faculty at Woodstock College, declared in a sermon on "Hope" yesterday in the Church of St. Aloysius, North Capitol and I streets.

"It is calumny to say that hope has died out among men," the preacher said. "Line up all those who believe in God and who follow Christ; ask them whether they have lost hope. Like soldiers answering the roll call, they answer, one after the other, 'Our hope is in our God; we shall never be confounded' . . ."

"It is not from the friends of God that we hear the chorus of hopelessness and despair;—no, that discordant wail comes from those who have hitched their wagon to the dollar.

"'Gather ye treasures in heaven,' said Christ. Those who spend their life minting the coin of heaven are teaching by their lives that the friends of Christ can bear like noblemen the loss of money, the pinch of privation, yes, even the pangs of hunger. That does not mean that they are weaklings, who suffer without protest the modern robber-system of economics which gives wealth to the few and privation to the many.

"Not at all. They are loud and fearless in their protest against this thievery, and are leading the fight to drive our money-gluttons away from the money trough. But, in the midst of their struggle for earthly money, they keep their gaze on their God. Their fight for earthly money may fail—the greed and malice of others may see to that, but their fight for things of eternal value will not fail."

The Rev. Briggs Assails Fair Weather Heroes

The Rev. John E. Briggs, D. D., yesterday urged his congregation at Fifth Baptist Church, 623 F street southwest, to spurn those "heroes who turn back in the day of trouble."

He used as his text the ninth verse of the seventy-eighth Psalm: "The children of Ephraim, being armed and carrying bows, turned back in the day of trouble."

"Cowardly withdrawal always excites derision and contempt," the pastor observed. "To be heroic when there is no danger and to be valorous when there are no foes and then turn back in the day of trouble is to stain honor with indelible shame.

"With some people Jesus was most popular when they saw the miracles and ate of the loaves and fishes. But when the cross must be faced, they turned their backs on Him. Even John Mark, when a young man, turns back from Paul and Barnabas when hardship must be endured.

"The rabble around Jerusalem cried 'Crown him,' on the occasion of Jesus' triumphal entry. But only a week later they forsook him, and cried, 'Crucify Him.' God is depending on us. May we not disappoint Him."

Soviet Executes 2 Criminals.

Moscow, March 24 (AP).—Two more convicted criminals were executed today, bringing to six the number who have been killed within the last few days in the drive to rid Moscow of lawlessness. The latest two were men named Zaharenkov and Feodotov, convicted of murder.

Faith Nation's Biggest Need, Dr. McGregor Tells Hearers.

Group Assails 'Drive to Curb Civil Liberties'

26 Urge Fight on Alleged Move to Restore U. S. Secret Police.

By the Associated Press.

Opposition to "the drive by reactionary interests to restrict the civil and political liberties of the American people" was urged yesterday in a communication sent to President Roosevelt and members of Congress by the American Civil Liberties Union.

The communication, signed by 26 attorneys, professors and writers, charged that "commercial, so-called patriotic and military forces are urging a united campaign to enact a Federal sedition law and to bring back into the Department of Justice the Federal secret police force which marked two former regimes."

Among those signing the letter of protest were the Rev. Harry Emerson Fosdick, of New York; W. A. Neilson, president of Smith College; Zechariah Chafee, jr., Harvard law professor, and Frank P. Walsh, New York attorney.

Another group, meanwhile, appealed yesterday to President Mendieta of Cuba "to release 800 Cuban civilians now being held for trial by courts-martial under military law in connection with the recent revolutionary strike."

Among those who signed the telegram were Judge George W. Anderson, of Boston; Raymond L. Buell, president of the Foreign Policy Association; Bishop Francis J. McConnell, of New York, and Harold G. Moulton, president of the Brookings Institution.

Interest Rate Is Cut On Land Bank Loans

Reduction in nterest rates from 5 to 4½ per cent on new Federal Land Bank loans made through national farm associations was announced yesterday by W. I. Myers, governor of the Farm Credit Administration, the Associated Press reported.

The cut will not affect the 5 per cent rate effective on loans made directly by the banks or by the land bank commissioner, Myers added. The 4½ per cent rate is the smallest ever made on Federal Land Bank loans, Myers said.

Dr. George W. Cale, 68, Rail Surgeon, Is Dead

St. Louis, March 24 (AP).—Dr. George W. Cale, 68, chief surgeon for the St. Louis Southwestern Railroad, died in a hospital here today after an operation a month ago for gastric ulcers.

He was a fellow in the American College of Surgeons and the Royal College of Surgeons, London, England, and was a member of the American Medical Association, the Missouri, Texas and Arkansas Medical Associations; the Southwestern Medical Association and the Mississippi Valley Medical Association.

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"Dangers" Of Free Speech.

It is a noteworthy event when a member of the Cabinet hints that the constitutional right of free speech may lead to dangerous results. Secretary of Commerce Roper, uncorking a blast last week against the mob-artists, warned that "free speech, practiced by selfish demagogues, can distort facts to suit particular arguments and become deadly destructive."

This statement appears to be fairly harmless and is, no doubt, true. On edge after five years of continual depression, the people are ripe for fanciful promises of irresponsible rabble-rousers. There is always the possibility that the unrest stimulated by continued unemployment and accentuated by garrulous agitators may culminate in riots or even more serious disorder.

But it might be wiser for Mr. Roper to go one step deeper in his search for causes. What he really dislikes are the demagogues. It is not free speech which gives them their opportunity. Nor would suppression of free speech eliminate their influence. Demagoguery flourishes because a proportion of the population, denied the chance of making an honest livelihood for such a long time, falls easy victims to utopian propaganda.

The followers of Huey Long would desert him tomorrow if they could find somebody who offered them a practical way of earning a living.

If we are to have democracy, we must endure some of its obvious defects. But we can also make intelligent use of its most valuable asset. It provides fairly good machinery for detecting the stresses and strains of the social system. Only by following these danger signals can any civilization hope that orderly progress will displace periodic breakdowns. Free speech is a main factor in making these stresses and strains audible.

Maintaining that "there should be some way devised to protect us against those who would injure by false and unverified statements," Mr. Roper suggests fact-finding and better education as methods of counteracting the demagogue menace.

On the face of it, this looks like an intelligent proposal. The danger will come if he should find that desperation refuses to go to school and should then decline to look for deeper causes of unrest.

Deposits Up, Loans Down.

In its current monthly bulletin the Federal Reserve Board reports that the deposits of all member banks at the end of 1934 were $6,700,000,000 higher than at the end of the preceding year, and only $4,100,000,000 below the figure recorded at the end of 1929. The loans of these banks decreased more than $800,000,000 however, while holdings of direct and fully guaranteed Government securities rose approximately $3,650,000,000.

Such a combination of increased deposits and declining loans will be regarded by many critics of the banks as proof positive that they are failing to meet demands from commercial borrowers for needed loans. As the past year undoubtedly witnessed a substantial expansion in the volume of business transacted, the contraction of commercial loans will strengthen an already widespread belief that the banks have been reluctant to lend to worthy borrowers.

The Federal Reserve Board points out, however, that the increase in deposits during 1934 was due chiefly to Treasury purchases of gold, which amounted to about $1,400,000,000, and to sales of Government bonds to member banks. Funds deposited to the credit of the Government in these banks and subsequently disbursed have returned to them in the form of deposits belonging to individuals. Thus, the major part of the increase in bank deposits, which has resulted in the creation of a great volume of excess reserves, is a result of the Government's monetary and fiscal operations. Instead of indicating greater financial strength, these deposits testify to the existence of a policy of deficit financing which is fundamentally an evidence of weakness.

Nevertheless, the decline in commercial loans, coinciding with a great expansion in the loanable resources of the banks and with evidence of business improvement, seems at first sight difficult to understand. There are, however, various causes of a general and special nature which help to explain this phenomenon. Similar trends have been observable in the past. For instance, a decrease in the volume of bank loans occurred following our post-war depression, after business had begun to revive and a similar sequence of events has been witnessed in other countries in recent years. This lag in the expansion of loans is attributable in part to the fact that those businesses which survive depression successfully often have surplus funds which render them less dependent upon banking accommodation during the early stages of a business upturn. Moreover, the funds that have been disbursed or loaned by various governmental agencies whose obligations repose in the portfolios of member banks, have assisted debtors to repay outstanding bank loans and sometimes to cut down their needs for new loans.

When banking assets are shifted from commercial loans to government securities under present conditions, therefore, it does not follow that industry is being deprived of credit accommodation which it requires. The United States Government has become such a dominant factor in financing the needs of business and, by its borrowing operations, has "created" such a large volume of deposits, that the standards by which banking performance were once judged have now become obsolete.

A Test Of Strength.

Two months were required by the Senate for passage of the public works resolution. During that time the measure was virtually rewritten without being much improved. It still gives the President almost a free hand to spend $4,880,000,000. And some of the irrelevant amendments added during the last frantic minutes of debate overshadow the constructive changes previously made by the Senate.

The burst of speed which characterized final passage of the measure gives a farcical touch to the Senate's entire proceedings. Leaders were informed that Huey Long was heading for Washington from South Carolina to participate in the filibuster initiated by the silverites. With inordinate haste the Senate accepted amendments that are as obnoxious to its leaders as they would be detrimental to the welfare of the country. It is pathetic as well as ludicrous to see the once dignified Senate thrown into a state of jitters by the threat of a single member.

Acceptance of the amendments dealing with silver, processing taxes and the confirmation of employes who will administer the public works program is excused on the ground that these destructive provisions can be eliminated in conference. It is to be hoped that this optimistic assumption is justified. But sloppy legislation is no less undesirable because it may be corrected later. Moreover, every time the Senate compromises with demagogic proposals it strengthens the hands of irrepressible politicians who attempt to foist their schemes upon Congress through harassment.

Senator Thomas' silver program has no rational connection with the public works measure. It is merely a scheme to elevate a single commodity to a position of unwarranted importance. Senator George's amendment, authorizing the President to suspend any of the processing taxes on farm commodities and to pay benefits to farmers out of the work relief fund, is in a somewhat different class. But it certainly has no place in this resolution. It involves a dangerous innovation in the Administration's agricultural policy for which legislative approval could not be expected if it were considered on its own merits.

The vote to require confirmation by the Senate of all State supervisors of public works is another move toward the spoils system. If this amendment is accepted by the House, it will mean that supervisors will be virtually named by Senators. In many instances, therefore, they will be politicians. There may be some advantage in having the Senate scrutinize such appointments. A spoils system that is recognized as such is less objectionable than one which works under cover. In either event, however, the prospects that politics will enter into the expenditure of this enormous fund arouse grave misgivings.

Under the most favorable circumstances the Administration will acquire a tremendous responsibility when the President affixes his signature to this resolution. That obligation is accentuated by the fact that no definite program of job-creating projects seems to have been worked out. It will be further magnified if the spoils system is superimposed upon such an extensive grant of power. An executive could hardly ask for a more severe test of administrative ability than will be imposed upon President Roosevelt by this measure.

The Mexican Debate.

Admirable as firm convictions may be, particularly in times of stress, the thoughtful observer must hesitate before announcing his conclusions on the current Mexican situation. So vast are the ramifications of the dispute between the Catholic church and the national revolutionary government and so deep run the roots of the problem that the desirability of impartial analysis is immediately apparent.

Moreover, with the situation obscured both by distance and factors foreign to American experience, and with attentions diverted toward the more arresting European scene, this question arises: Should one place one's faith in the frantic cries of the ecclesiastical press; or is it wiser to take the word of the Mexican officials and believe that there is actually little to be concerned about?

In the manner of a journalistic debate, there has appeared in other columns of this paper recently a series of articles presenting the Catholic view of the situation. And that is now being followed by a similar series outlining the official Mexican version of the controversy. The two are necessarily diametrically opposed. Each is doubtless equally sincere. But the intelligent reader is not likely to formulate definite conclusions from these articles as to the merits of either cause. Rather they will probably convey to him a better understanding of the extremely complicated intellectual struggle through which Mexico is passing.

The Social Security Board.

President Roosevelt is reported to have indorsed the plan of the House Ways and Means Committee to establish an independent board charged with the administration of the economic security program. Secretary of Labor Perkins has strenuously opposed this proposal to remove the Social Security Board from the jurisdiction of the Labor Department. While there may be good reasons for rejecting her arguments, those reasons have not yet been explained to the public.

The country already has a large number of so-called independent boards that are independent in name only. Too often they furnish well-paid positions for political seekers after office. In some cases these boards might be able to function more effectively if they were attached to one of the regular Government departments.

Unquestionably numerous matters calling for expert knowledge and specialized training would have to be decided by a board charged with responsibility for administering unemployment insurance and other forms of social legislation. Moreover, successful administration of the law would necessitate close cooperation with the Department of Labor in order to avoid duplication of effort and possible working at cross purposes. Congress ought to think seriously before it creates an administrative gulf between the agency controlling unemployment insurance and the United States Employment Service.

Unless there are very cogent reasons, therefore, warranting the creation of a separate administrative body, the plan to make the Social Security Board a subordinate branch of the Department of Labor would seem to be the logical course. Departure from Secretary Perkins' proposal will be justified only if it can be conclusively shown that the social security system would be better administered by an entirely new agency. And the burden of proof rests clearly upon the Ways and Means Committee.

Strange Rehabilitation.

The accounts of conditions in the Florida veterans' camps visited by a Post correspondent will shock even the most hard-boiled observers. Descriptions of drunkenness and debauchery at the expense of, and in effect under the auspices of, the Federal Government are enough to discourage the most ardent advocates of special camps for former doughboys. While it is obviously unfair to generalize from such scandalous examples of emergency maladministration, the FERA is certainly on the defensive so far as its "relief" policy for veterans is concerned.

Conditions in the Florida camps raise the question of why such special treatment for veterans was ever ordered in the first place. The beneficiaries—or victims—of this policy are principally veterans who were evicted from the Washington bonus camps in 1932. Instead of being granted relief along with other transients, they now bask beneath the palms of the South Atlantic. The more enterprising, it is reported, save their "pay" of a dollar a day and take occasional trips back to Washington, where they ultimately report to relief headquarters for return rides to their southern base.

Of all possible ways to encourage discontent, none could surpass this scheme of herding dissatisfied men together on an island with food, lodging and cash to buy liquor provided. With little compulsion to work, rancor must feed on the idle hours of talk and discussion. And so far as rehabilitation is concerned, the disgraceful conditions prevailing in the Florida camps speak for themselves. A very slight acquaintance with human nature should have taught the FERA that men can not be restored to positions of self-reliance by segregating them into camps where work and discipline are lacking.

Things could be worse. Suppose, for instance, the financial condition of the average business man was as poor as he reports it to his wife and the income tax office.

You can usually tell how many times a man has been fired by counting the letters of recommendation he has.

It might be well to remember that no one goes to a great deal of trouble to look you up in order to give you something.

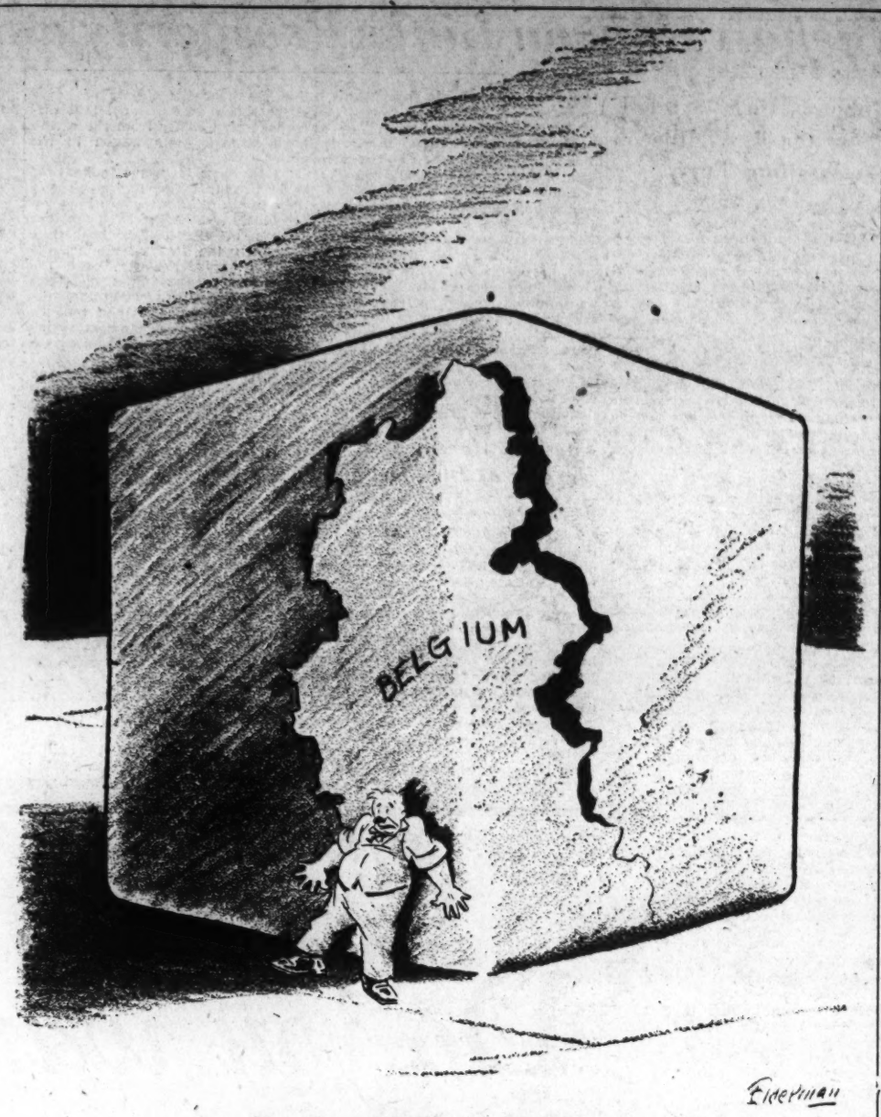
"Fish never stop growing," says a naturalist. Especially after they are caught.

Evolution In Political Science.

St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

The slow processes of evolution are at work in bringing about the next development in American State government, the unicameral legislature. One State, Nebraska, has already taken the step, by a decisive popular vote. A commonwealth soon to rise from American territory, the Philippines, has written the one-chamber lawmaking body into its new constitution. In several States, including Missouri, the proposal has reached the Legislature, but without action. And now, in Wisconsin, such a plan has been engrossed by the lower house of the Legislature. Like biological evolution, a long process is necessary for fulfillment there, including approval by the State Senate, by the Legislature of 1937 and by a popular referendum. The plan may be blocked somewhere on this course, but the seed has been planted.

No longer is the unicameral legislature a theory for academic discussion. It is arousing the interest of practical citizens, who see its benefits in economy and legislative efficiency. Actual working out of the plan in Nebraska, beginning in 1937, will afford the laboratory tests needed to demonstrate its advantages or weaknesses. Widespread dissatisfaction with State legislatures as now constituted will speed the evolutionary process in political science on its way.



No Chip Off The Gold Bloc.

Letters To The Editor

The Post welcomes letters from its readers. All communications must be signed with the writer's name and address. Upon publication initials or pen names will be used if requested. Letters are subject to condensation, and in no case should they exceed 250 words.

Back To Town Meetings.

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: Judging by the amount of grousing in the newspapers the majority of folks are opposed to learning the ways of dodging New Deal devastation caused by making the money and investments of the Nation worthless. It is so much simpler to get rid of the New Dealers.

Quite likely we can find folks trained in industrial economy who can run the country successfully. Suppose we hold town meetings, as our forefathers did, and make a real start toward the kind of government the old boys handed us.

C. E. BRINKMAN.
Chester Springs, Pa., March 21.

Debt To Dr. Kindler.

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: Concerts of the National Symphony Orchestra have enriched immeasurably life in Washington during the brief four years of the orchestra's existence. Until the past few years all series of concerts were given here in one of the theaters at about 4:30 o'clock on week day afternoons. Attendance at this hour was impossible for the 5 o'clock office worker and for many other business and professional people, and for Government workers the arrangement was acutely disagreeable.

Sunday afternoon and occasional evening concerts of the National Symphony Orchestra have wrought a delightful change. All types of workers in the professions, business offices and mercantile establishments are able to attend, and under the pleasant conditions of relaxation possible on Sunday afternoon or in the evening after the end of the day's work. That the concerts have meant great joy to thousands has been evident from the large, enthusiastic audiences at all of them.

Music lovers of the city owe to Dr. Kindler a deep debt of gratitude. His ability and labors in founding the orchestra during a year of great depression and in continuing it since that time constitute an outstanding achievement and one of the most significant and important contributions made to Washington during the history of the city.

FLORENCE C. BELL.
Washington, March 22.

Parthian Shot.

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: Praises be for your objectiveness and your sense of humor, to say nothing of your excellent psychology. Honestly, I did not expect that letter of mine ever to see the light of day. Evidently, Britain doesn't produce all the good sports, at any rate. Being feminine, I am now almost tempted to retract everything I said. But, no, that would be false.

Instead, I will only add that by exposing the American male, I had no intention of extolling the female. She has done her full part in producing our topsy-turvy society. But I will leave that to someone else. It isn't common sense to risk getting at outs with both the sexes at the same moment.

And, as for poor John Strachey, what have American females' faults got to do with him, since, by the way, he has brought his wife with him.

With apologies for taking the last word. D. M. S.
Washington, March 21.

No Feeling Of Shame.

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: May I have the privilege of using your column again, this time in response to the article by John Gibbs Lovell, published March 19, on the bonus, in which he pats the veterans on the back with one hand while poking them in the ribs with the other? I appreciate everything he mentions relative to our love of country, government, and our willingness to serve. He states that to demand payment of the bonus now would work a hardship upon the whole because of the irresponsible few whose impatience led them to borrow with no thought of the repayment.

I wonder if Mr. Lovell ever had the unpleasant experience of being unemployed for long periods subsequent to the crash of 1929. I did! And, after borrowing to the hilt on my life insurance policy, I took advantage of this opportunity offered by our Government, and used my half of the bonus to tide me over until such time as I was able to secure employment. And I took it with no feeling of shame. Mr. Lovell further states: "There is no dishonor in accepting tendered reward for meritorious deeds," and in answer thereto I say again, as I did in The Post on January 7, that the bonus was "tendered" us by Congress over President Coolidge's veto, evidently with no thought of the future in mind.

ROBERT SLATER.
Washington, March 19.

Walker's Query.

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: It doesn't affect me, because I walk, but what kind of staggering is it that leaves employes of the Munitions and Navy Buildings, with a working population of 7,300, crowding into the same inadequate cars and buses, which stand interminably in Eighteenth, G and Seventeenth streets awaiting a chance to cross or enter Pennsylvania avenue?

R. P. ELLIOT.
Washington, March 19.

Excerpts From Letters On Utilities

I am one of those stockholders, not a very big one, it is true, but several thousand of my hard-earned dollars were invested in holding companies with the expectation of at least getting an ordinary interest return on same. Not one of the three companies I am in ever paid any dividends of more than insignificant amount, so it is rather difficult for me to believe that returns from sale of electricity and gas of our operating companies are yielding the mythical sums fantastic Congressional bombasts are talking about.

My idea of holding company stockholders is that most of them have more brains than the President accredits them with. They do not share the view he publicizes that they are being "used" and I am pretty certain that a canvass would show that 90 per cent of them are 100 per cent behind the officers of their holding companies in the magnificent fight now being waged against the unfair holding company bill. I am delighted that holding companies are using my money as a stockholder to make this fight and would suggest that they go a step further and acquaint the stockholders in each Congressional District what the stand of their particular Representative is, so that if our investments are destroyed by this bill we will be able to punish the right parties in the next elections.

For the President to assert that we should stand by and let Congress take our hard-earned money away from us is the height of absurdity.

RANDOLPH R. BACON.
Rosslyn, Va., March 13.

President Roosveelt's recent message to Congress closes with these words of warning, wise or otherwise: "I am against private socialism (sic!) of concentrated private power as thoroughly as I am against governmental socialism. The one is equally as dangerous as the other, and destruction of private socialism utterly essential to avoid governmental socialism."

Why pick on holding companies as if they were the prime cause for our economic and social woes? They are but symptoms of the disease of capitalism. Why try to doctor smallpox by doping the individual scabs with some sort of magic ointment? A socialized commonwealth—a "government of the people, by the people and for the people"—is the answer to our problems.

HARLAN E. GLAZIER.
Washington, March 16.

As a columnist, Bargeron is fair, but when he steps out and criticizes the President for his stand against the holding utility companies, he is obviously talking about something he knows nothing about.

He intimates that the President has no right to object "when men whose property is about to be confiscated set up a howl about it." Anyone who has given the matter any thought at all knows that the President has not the slightest objection to these holding company moguls expressing their objections as individuals to Congress or to anyone else. What he was objecting to was the unjustified use by these men of money taken from consumers in excessive rates for electricity to try to influence Congress, not directly, but through statements to stockholders and others.

Bargeron conveniently forgets the underhanded work that these companies have carried on for years such as influencing elections, subsidizing of school and college textbooks and free trips for instructors.

Again he mentions "confiscation." What does he mean? If Smith owns stock in a holding company, the only basis for its value rests in the securities of some underlying operating company. How is Smith's position going to be worsened because he has to exchange his stock for a pro rata share in the stock or other securities of the operating company? A. W. D.
Washington, March 14.

In the multiplicity of attacks made upon the peoples' business, none seems more wicked than the bill to destroy the utilities and holding companies. Those who reason, understand that this is just a part of a general plan to reduce people of small means to a condition of penury, when they will be forced to become wards of the Government; a general plan to overthrow our constitutional form of Government and set up a permanent dictatorship.

You men from Virginia, urge the people to go back to the land and become producers. Each State should determine how much additional money will be needed to alleviate immediate suffering within its borders; let Congress appropriate such supplemental sum to be expended by the State agencies. Destroy this vast army of vulgarians which the Government has assembled. Refuse to vote money to maintain the bureaucracy which has been organized since March 4, 1933; refuse to enact legislation to destroy private business; force the brain trusters to go to work.

MARIE GRAVES BONHAM.
Gordonsville, Va., March 21.

The Post Impressionist

The New Deal In Old Greece.

Post Office, Monday.

"HAVE you," Louise Kidder Sparrow writes to inquire of us, "read Aristotle?"

Have we read Aristotle! Sometimes these cultural questions contain a distant intimation of insult.

But Mrs. Sparrow continues:

"Because I believe the President knows his Aristotle, particularly the 'Treatise on Government.'"

And then she goes on to give instances of the present Administration's administrativeness which she, out of her profound reading and capacious memory, can cap with quotations from the Hellenic sage of the fourth century before Christ.

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Does anybody complain of oligarchic tendencies in these days and this America?

"Many things seeming favorable to a democracy destroy a democracy. . . .

"Those who think this (i. e., democracy) the only virtue extend it to excess, not considering that a nose which varies a little from perfect straightness—either toward a hook nose or a flat one—may yet be beautiful and agreeable to look at; but, if the peculiarity is extended beyond measure, first of all the properties of the part are lost, then at last it can hardly be admitted to be a nose at all . . . The same thing is true with respect to state, for both an oligarchy and a democracy may some time vary from their perfect form and yet be well constituted. But if anyone endeavors to extend either of them too far, at first he will make the government the worse for it; . . . at last there will be no government."

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And Mrs. Sparrow bids us digest Aristotle's brief for a Brain Trust:

"Democracies have arisen from supposing that those who are equal in one thing are so in every other circumstance . . . (But) those who have the greatest right to govern are those who excel in virtue—for they alone can be called generally superior . . . Nobility and virtue are to be found only amongst a few—the contrary amongst the many."

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This was all very well—but the Post-Impressionist felt it would be only fair to see what the Opposition felt about it. So we telephoned the G. H. Q. of the Republican National Committee.

"Is this," we inquired, "Mr. Fletcher?"

"No." It was, however, a very pleasant negative: a contralto negative. "Did you want to talk to him about anything important?"

"Rather! We wanted to ask him what he thought Aristotle would say about the present Administration."

"Oh, but," cooed Contralto, "I can tell you that! Mr. Fletcher thinks Aristotle wouldn't approve of the present Administration."

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Contralto continued: "Aristotle said, 'In well-tempered governments it requires as much care as anything whatsoever that nothing be done contrary to law . . . Governments are . . . destroyed by degrees . . . for, whenever anything which in the least regards the state is treated with contempt, then something else—this time of a little more consequence—will be easily altered, until the whole fabric is subverted.'

"Mr. Fletcher knows that Aristotle said, 'No magistrate should be allowed discretionary power, save in a few instances and those of no consequence to public business . . . The only firm state is that wherein everyone enjoys the equality he has a right to and fully possesses what is his own.' Just yesterday, Mr. Fletcher was quoting to Senator Barbour that passage in which Aristotle says, 'To live as everyone likes . . . is a right which liberty confers, since he is a slave who must live as he likes not.'"

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So we telephoned the offices of a certain Senator from Louisiana:

"We should like to know whether Senator Long has any strong opinions on the present Administration as considered in the light of the Aristotelian philosophy."

And in the best English of Cambridge, Mass., the answer came:

"The Senator has no weak opinions upon any subject. He refers you to the original text of Aristotle. Does not Aristotle say, 'It is necessary that the supreme power should be vested in the people at large?' The Senator well knows that Aristotle proposed 'to blend' both the poor and the rich 'into one body and to increase the numbers of those who are in the middle rank.'

"In point of fact, only this morning the Senator had his Aristotle propped against his breakfast coffee pot and read aloud to the waitress that passage in which the Hellenic master of the syllogism writes:

"'As regards fortunes, mediocrity is to be preferred . . . The greatest happiness which citizens can enjoy is to possess a moderate and convenient fortune.'"

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We required only one more witness thoroughly to corroborate our opinion that Aristotle could be quoted more ways than one. Unfortunately, however, somebody in Senator Nye's office cut us off with a single sentence:

"Senator Nye has refused to read Aristotle since he heard that Aristotle was a Preparedness Man—the man who said, 'Those who are well prepared are seldom first attacked.'"

Weak Executive Gives Paris Chamber Power

Historical Backgrounds Account For Differences In French And British Systems.

By Andre Vulliet.
Special Correspondence of The Post.

Paris.

A RELIGION with no Bible, a tradition with no written law, such is the British parliamentary system as Sir John Simon, British secretary for foreign affairs, the other day described it at Paris in the first of a series of lectures organised by *Le Temps*.

"Practically there exists no English Constitution," Sir John declared at the beginning of his talk which aroused wide attention from French politicians and political observers, many of whom now regard the French parliamentary regime as "a Bible with no religion."

"We have no fundamental laws," Sir John continued, "or, if you prefer, the fundamental laws of the kingdom are exactly on the same footing with other laws. For instance, it would be just as easy for the British Parliament to amend the Magna Charta of 1215 as to vote a law hampering the import of foreign dogs into England."

To emphasize the part played by evolution and the slow adaptation to every-day needs in shaping the present political machine, Sir John Simon showed how you could read your eyes dry in all the official documents of England without finding one single reference to the "Cabinet" or the "Prime Minister." They both came piecemeal out of experience and their prerogatives are defined nowhere.

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CABINET and government are two quite different things, the British Foreign Minister pointed out. Only the most important British ministers, about 20 of them, are included in the cabinet which assembles once a week. Yet, the cabinet is responsible for the government's policy.

If the King no longer presides over the weekly meeting of his ministers, the cause is to be found at the beginning of the eighteenth century when George I stopped attending the cabinet. No bad reason had he. He spoke no English and his only interest was in Hanover.

As to the prime minister, his title was probably coined after the French "Premier Ministre." It is usually admitted that Walpole was Britain's first prime minister inasmuch as he was the head of a government for the policy of which he was entirely responsible.

Since nowhere in the written laws is the "Prime Minister" ever mentioned, he usually holds the title and receives the pay of "First Lord of the Treasury." Until 30 years ago no one ever addressed the "Prime Minister" otherwise than as "First Lord of the Treasury."

"The real reason why, in practice, a prime minister's advice to resort to new elections is usually followed by the King," tall Minister Simon declared, "is that should the prime minister refuse to remain in office without new elections, no new government could be formed, so that new elections would become inevitable."

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"THE framework of the financial system of my country," lean, white-crested Sir John added, "is a rule which has always been scrupulously applied by the Speaker of our House of Commons. According to that rule, proposals for new expenses can only be made by a minister. No member of the House of Commons who is not also a member of the government can propose an increase in public expenditures, even by way of an amendment to a law project submitted by the government."

"Within the government itself" he continued, "the treasury's authority as regards financial matters is supreme. No proposal entailing a public expenditure can be submitted to the cabinet unless it has been examined and reported on by the treasury."

And to his audience's amazement, Sir John added, with a twinge of pride: "It sounds almost incredible that such a powerful ministry as the treasury, whose influence is so vast, should have an administrative staff of but 65 persons."

So, while the King appoints the government and the electorate gives it its political power, the very essence of all political power, that is the spending of public funds, is kept entirely out of the hands of both the King and the electorate. This prerogative is exclusively of the government's. And within the government, the treasury's advice is supreme.

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MANY among the French political writers who listened to Sir John Simon's lecture later commented on how different the French and British parliamentary systems are.

Writing in *Le Figaro*, Lucien Romier, noted economist, complained that the French system was "not a parliamentary regime, but a regime of electoral competition."

One of the characteristics of French parliamentarism, at any rate, is that it was meant for a constitutional monarchy. The golden age of parliamentarism in France seems to have been during the "Restauration," that is, from 1815 to 1820, and under King Louis Philippe, who reigned from 1830 to 1848.

The present French Constitution, voted in 1875, was established by a majority of Royalists parliamentarians who were convinced they were merely building a frame in which a king would soon replace the president of the republic. Hence the precautions taken to protect the legislative power again the possible abuses of an eventual king.

The Chamber of Deputies was given the right to interpellate the government, to overthrow it on a question of confidence, to vote the budget, to discuss all financial questions, to submit any proposal they wished in the matter of public expenditures.

To prevent such prerogatives ever from becoming excessive, the executive power, that is, the president of the republic (eventually to be replaced by a hereditary king vested with a high moral authority) was given the right to dissolve the Chamber of Deputies with the senate's approval.

Because he would not give away his ancestors' white flags for the blue-white-red French banner, the man who would have been proclaimed a king, Count de Chambord, refused to ascend the throne of France. He missed the royalty's chance to come back into power. Since then, the presidents of the French Republic have never enjoyed the moral authority to counter-balance the legislative power.

The legislative power in France, many political observers contend, has used and overused every bit of power the French constitution of 1875 gave it. But, in doing so in the absence of a strong executive power, it has somewhat distorted parliamentarism as it was conceived in its early stage. There probably lies the wide difference between the French and the British political systems.

Along The Potomac

With
Carlisle Bargeron

Bob's Pink Slip.

NOW that the controversy over the pink slip in the income tax return has temporarily subsided there is the serious question as to whether the one most harmed is not the author of the provision, Young Bob La Follette himself. His sponsorship of it in the first instance and particularly his tenacity toward retaining it has thrown a different light on Bob. There is hardly any doubt of that.

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It is difficult to see how it will so greatly harm the taxpayers as its opponents have claimed. And certainly nothing is more ridiculous than the claim it would serve to tip off kidnapers and racketeers. They are sufficiently informed as to the high income taxpayers without having to take advantage of the publicity provided in the pink slips.

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What it will do, of course, is furnish a feast for those who want to know what their neighbor is making or worse still, an office associate. One could argue all day without giving convincing proof that it will aid in the slightest in the collection of taxes. Oh, had we had the pink slip provisions, its proponents contend, we would have known J. P. Morgan was not paying any income taxes in those three years in which he didn't. The plain truth is that those who read the newspapers were being told all the time that the wealthy were avoiding the income levies. There should have been no doubt of it in anyone's mind save those who thought the repeated statements were simply propaganda to get the taxes repealed. It might be pointed out this was the Progressives' attitude.

Unquestionably the name of Morgan himself was used frequently in this effort to get the plain truth over to the people. It didn't sink in.

Maybe the pink slip would have helped in that an enterprising reporter would have written a story specifically pointing out in bold headlines that the banker had paid no income tax. Such a story would not have collected any tax from him because there was nothing illegal in what he did, but it would probably have brought forth a public clamor. Insofar as the information itself was concerned, however, every sensible person should have known it all along.

Discuss the pink slip provision from any angle you wish and the only logical conclusion is that it is designed to cater to envy, to that sort of depraved mind which is never happy until it knows what the other fellow is making and not happy then. Those who have admired Bob La Follette hate to see him associated with a provision of this kind. It does something to Bob, it does.

There is probably not a more popular man in the Senate than he, and this despite the fact he is more "radical" than Huey Long ever will be. He has commanded the respect of the conservative East along with that of his native State because while there might be sharp disagreement with his views he was recognized as a very worth-while citizen, able and sincere. Bob was never associated with demagoguery as are Huey Long and his ilk whose ideas, as I say, are nearly as advanced, progressive or radical or whatever term you want to use. His appeal has always been, seemingly at least, to the mind and not to the baser emotions.

While it is covering a lot of ground it is doubtful if there was a single Washington correspondent or a fellow Senator who did not want to see him return last fall.

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Now it is impossible to give Bob all of these virtues when one's mind keeps turning to that pink slip provision. It isn't so much the actual harm it may cause the taxpayers as it is the cheapness, the smallness of the thing. One would have looked to others for its sponsorship, not to Bob. It hasn't the logic heretofore associated with him. It doesn't measure up to him, that's all. It savors too much of that incident of the Senator who went to a party and told on his host.

And it is particularly regretful at this time when with the talk of a third party Bob's name is being so frequently mentioned as the presidential candidate. Pink slip sponsors don't attain the Presidency.

Once Overs

By H. I. Phillips.

Those New Bridge Rules.

Just when people were beginning to understand them, the rules of contract bridge have been changed. The outlook for the noisiest summer in years is assured.

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Harold S. Vanderbilt announced changes, thus sharing with Adolf Hitler the responsibility for the two greatest blows at peace ever delivered in one week.

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Of most importance from a humanitarian standpoint is the discontinuance of the term "dummy." He becomes "declarer's partner," subject to the same abuse as ever and still expected to get up and shake another cocktail.

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It's just another sign of progress under the Democratic Administration.

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The new rules reduce penalties, go back to the old grand slams premiums, provide a new no-trump count, bar the rabbit punch in tournament play and prohibit screaming after a grand slam.

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They omit any reference to better bridge prizes at house parties and pass the refreshment issue with a mild suggestion that no sandwich should be so thin it can be mistaken for a playing card.

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Penalties for the fellow who doesn't put out his cigarette before stuffing it into the ash tray remain the same, but all limitations for dealing with guests who put their wet highball glasses on the new piano are removed. Justice at last!

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Mr. Vanderbilt promises that the new rules will not be touched again until 1940. This gives you one year for complete confusion, three years for partial understanding and an extra 12 months in which to prepare for another shake-up.

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Fines for rash overbidders have been reduced about one-third, on the ground that an overbidder suffers enough from the glares of his partner, male or female.

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The penalty for looking back over the tricks is now 50 points and the player who habitually looks at his cards during a deal can be punished by a new deal. Whaddya mean "punished?"

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And, oh, yes The "dummy" not only becomes "declarer's partner" but is given the right to talk during the conflict without straining for ventriloquism or doing it with the eyebrows.

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On with the game under the new rules! But remember there are neighbors!

With a Purpose.

Well, if there is another world war it will of course be a war to end wars to end wars.

Suggestion for a change in the national anthem: "O say can you hear by the dawn's early mike?"

Harry Richman went up 22,000 feet in his seaplane at Miami. Scientists are interested in the effect that altitude has on hair oil and a tilted straw hat.

Germany has at last let the whole world in on a secret: all those military uniforms, etc., were not being gathered for a military ball.

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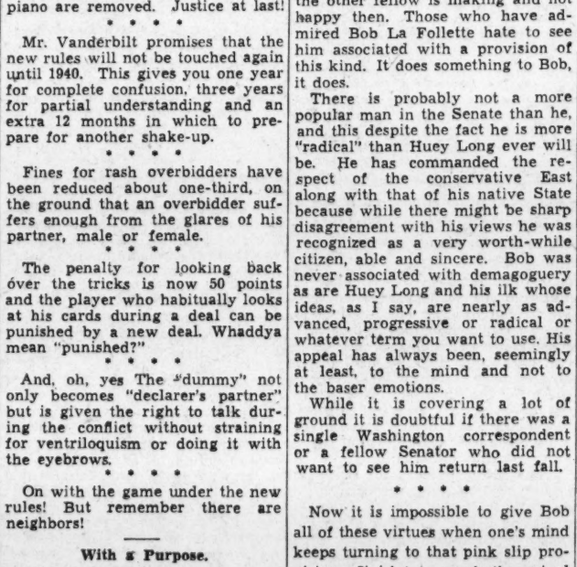

"She's determined to take another encore!"

National Gallery

REPRESENTATIVE HOWARD WORTH SMITH, Democrat, of Eighth Virginia District . . . influential . . . always fighting for his district when its interests conflict with those of Washington . . . though his home is in Alexandria, his pride and joy is his fairy farm near Warrenton . . . his chief regret is he is so busy here he doesn't get to spend much time in the country . . . born 52 years ago at Broad Run, Va. . . . was graduated from Bethel Military Academy and the University of Virginia . . . was successively Commonwealth's attorney and corporation judge of Alexandria . . . wartime assistant general counsel of the Alien Property Custodian . . . Episcopalian, Elk, Mason, Odd Fellow and bank president . . . trustee and vice president of National Florence Crittenton Mission . . . father of Howard Worth, jr., and Violett Adelaide Smith . . . now serving his third term in the House and is active on the important Rules Committee.

Such a large proportion of those who have been pictured by Mr. Robles have asked for the originals that The Washington Post is saving all these drawings to honor the requests of any future members of "The National Gallery."

No End of Books

Year Around With The Richness Of Meadow, Pond And Sky In 'An Almanac For Moderns.'

By Theodore Hall.

THAT patient, rambling, and rather pedantic little country parson, Gilbert White, sketched out in 1771 his aim for "a natural history of my native parish, an amus historico-naturalis, comprising a journal for a whole year, and illustrated with large and copious notes and observations."

Luckily, his work turned out, in 1789, to be even more rambling and less pedantic. The "Natural History of Selborne," the diary of what he saw of nature in his little corner of Hampshire, is still one of the constant delights of literature. And White remains the best-loved naturalist in the English-speaking world.

Now when I bring up a freshminted and similar book of our own time, it is with tolerable confidence that our contemporary need not be abashed out of countenance. The nook of Hampshire has become a spot which might well, from interior evidence, be the environs of Washington; the range of nature includes everything from M 31, the great nebula of Andromeda, to the experimental mechanist's test-tube of sea-urchin eggs, which, broken and pounded, still grow. But though Donald Culross Peattie stretches over this cosmic range in his book, "An Almanac for Moderns" (Putnam, $3), he has all the happiness of the little curate in listening to the cicadas, in watching the spawning of frogs in a pond, in kneeling down to peer like Gulliver at the Lilliputian warfare of the ants.

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"AN Almanac for Moderns" runs from March 21 around the year again to the beginning of spring a page to a day, a topic which the date suggests to a page; the birthday of some great naturalist, the first swallows, the swarming of May flies, the nest of a mouse, or the blooming of clover. We, who live with cubic yards of brick and concrete between us and the earth, need to have this spirited and eloquent reminder of things growing.

Let me give you one of Mr. Peattie's credoes: "A man need not know how to name all the oaks or the moths, or be able to recognize a synclinal fault, or tell time by the stars, in order to possess nature. He may have his mind solely on growing larkspur, or he may love a boat and a sail and a blue-eyed day at sea. He may have a bent for making paths or banding birds, or he may be only an inveterate and curious walker. But I contend that such a fellow has the best out of life—he and the naturalists. You are ignorant of life if you do not love it or some portion of it, just as it is, a shaft of light from a nearby star, a flash of the blue salt water that curls around the five upthrust rocks of the continents, a net of green leaves spread to catch the light and use it, and you, walking under the trees. You, a handful of supple earth and long white stones, with sea water running in your veins."

Here is the intelligent and reverent pantheism of the modern scientists: "I say that it touches a man that his blood is sea water and his tears are salt, that the seed of his loins is scarcely different than the same cells in a seaweed, and that of stuff like his blood are coral made. I say that physical and biological law lies down with him, and wakes when a child stirs in the womb, and that the sap in a tree, uprushing in the spring, and the smell of the loam, where the bacteria bestir themselves in darkness, and the path of the sun in the heaven, these are facts of first importance to his mental conclusions, and that a man who goes in no consciousness of them is a drifter and a dreamer, without a home or any contact of reality."

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LISTENING to the warning cries of herons in the marsh, "like the drop of an iron chain on its own coils," watching that "eerie, chill, and impish little animal," the red triton newt, speculating on the relation of bees to orchids and of bacteria to clover, running over the theories of evolution as suggested by the birthdays of the great scientists who stated them—doing all these things which are the joys of a live and loving mind, Mr. Peattie is the best of companions when we take our walks abroad.

I would be disposed toward his book anyway by the superb format, by the line drawings of Lynd Ward. But behind the scientific training of Mr. Peattie under Wheeler, the great ant man, and others, and behind his scientific practice as an economic botanist in the Government, lies a poet and novelist in addition. Combined and fused together, the traits of science and poetry give us here a rare tour de force—a book which leads us accurately and impassionedly to nature.

If the delight I take in this book is half a recollection of my own first collection of beetles, of my early "bird walks" up Cabin John creek, of my prize list of 27 warblers in half an hour, then I owe a debt to it for the very freshening of recollection. It will do that for you, from the solitary calls of the Wilson thrush—named after our first ornithologist, that dour little Scotch-born weaver—to the delicate little twin-flowers called "Linnaea borealis," named after that Swedish youth who rode off to Lapland on a horse one day and came back with the science of botany.

Nye, at Boston, Hits War Profits

Assails National Defense 'Racket' in Speech.

By the Associated Press.

Boston, March 24.—Senator Gerald P. Nye (Republican), North Dakota, chairman of the Senate Muntions Investigation Committee, today advocated a 100 per cent tax on incomes of more than $10,000 in time of war.

Speaking in Old South Church, which the British occupied during the Revolutionary War, Senator Nye said:

"America and the whole world has a problem on its hands if it really wants to save itself from war. If we could destroy the incentive of profit and the chance of profit there would not be any more war."

Nye struck at the Du Ponts, shipbuildings executives and foreign munitions makers who, he said the munitions investigation revealed, wrecked disarmament conferences, sold munitions and patents to enemies and made "a racket" of national defense.

Lunts to Play Shakespeare.

New York, March 24 (AP).—Rehearsals will start tomorrow for a new version of Shakespeare's "The Taming of the Shrew," which will open in Pittsburgh April 22, with Alfred Lunt and Lynn Fontanne in the leading roles. The production is scheduled to open Robert Henderson's Drama Festival at Ann Arbor, Mich., later this spring.

Lady Day

By
Wm. Lyon Phelps

THE twenty-fifth of March is Lady Day, or the Day of the Annunciation.

I think the familiar name given to the Virgin Mary, Our Lady, is very beautiful. The people of all so-called Christian nations, regardless of their individual creeds or beliefs, should think of her and call her by this name, which combines the intimacy of affection with the dignity of veneration—Our Lady, Notre Dame.

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In medieval and in the following centuries clear down to the year 1752, Lady Day, the twenty-fifth of March, was the legal beginning of the year in England. It was not until 1752 that the beginning of the year was changed to January 1. Yet even today Lady Day is one of the Quarter Days in England and very important, therefore, in a variety of ways. Rents and leases begin, people are hired, etc.

The Feast of the Annunciation, exactly nine months before Christmas Day, is the twenty-fifth of March. In St. Luke, i, 28, we read:

> And the angel came in unto her and said: Hail, thou that art highly favored, the Lord is with thee: blessed art thou among women.

This is the Latin phrase—Ave, Maria, plena gratia.

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The first definite allusion to this date is in the year 656, and later in 692, a statement forbidding the celebration of all feasts in Lent except Sundays (which are not a part of Lent) and the Annunciation.

In the year 1240, at Worcester, England, a synod forbade all servile work on Lady Day.

The Annunciation has been a favorite subject for paintings by the great geniuses of the golden age; Schubert's and Gounod's Ave Maria are familiar everywhere in music; and many cathedrals are dedicated to Our Lady.

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Lively Battles Face President On Major Bills

Congress, 'Itself Again,' Is Prepared to Fight New Deal Measures.

By the Associated Press.

The Roosevelt Administration will head today toward other strenuous legislative tussles on Capitol Hill—after finally rescuing its $4,880,000,000 work-relief bill from eight weeks of Senate strife.

Realizing that Congress definitely is back to normal after two years of White House domination, Administration leaders are preparing for stiff battles on all major "New Deal" propositions pending.

Aware of the changed situation, President Roosevelt has indicated to his lieutenants that he also is going to do some fighting when necessary to get his propositions approved this session.

Being a strategist, however, Mr. Roosevelt is letting Congress revise and revamp measures in whatever language it desires as long as it carries out his ideas.

Four Major Fights.

Indications are that the four major battles confronting the Administration are over NRA, the social security program, cash payment of the bonus and the utility holding company measure.

Mr. Roosevelt is preparing for a lively scrap over extension of NRA. He has put Donald R. Richberg at the agency's head and enlisted the support of organized labor.

But the Senate has shown that it is strongly opposed to NRA antitrust exemption and indications are that it will insist upon change.

Already the social security program bill has been completely revised by the House Ways and Means Committee, although retaining the essential ideas of the Chief Executive. It will come up for House action ten days hence.

The Patman bonus bill, which passed the House by more than the two-thirds vote necessary to override a veto, is to be brought up in the Senate soon by Chairman Harrison (Democrat), Mississippi, of the Finance Committee. Hearings are to be held briefly late this week.

Veto Backing Looms.

While Senate passage of either the Patman, Vinson or the Tydings compromise bonus measures is certain, all checks indicate it will sustain a veto.

Democratic leaders are seeking a compromise that will meet with Mr. Roosevelt's approval.

The Senate is in recess today. After acting on the Treasury-Post-office supply bill tomorrow, it will begin consideration of the "pink slip" income tax publicity law. Efforts are to be made by some to tack higher income tax rates on the measure.

The Mead air mail bill, measures to increase naval defenses and miscellaneous legislation are slated for action in the House this week.

The Senate Interstate Commerce Committee yesterday classed the work-relief bill with measures that are "merely temporary palliatives" and urged a compulsory reduction of the work week through industry generally to 30 hours.

Asks Speed on Black Bill.

Speedy enactment of the Black 30-hour week bill, which would bar from Interstate Commerce products made in establishments working employes more than 30 hours a week, was recommended by the committee.

The committee report on the bill, written by Senator Neely (Democrat), West Virginia, said its passage would transfer 5,000,000 persons from relief rolls to jobs in private industry.

"Hope for economic recovery lies in the 30-hour week," the report said. "Jobs on emergency public works are merely temporary palliatives. They afford neither permanent nor sufficient security for our vast army of unemployed."

German Action Result Of Versailles Terms

World Must Overlook Legalities And Concentrate On Revising Spirit Of Treaty.

By Lothrop Stoddard.
Special Correspondence of The Post.

IN the current crisis over German rearmament it is supremely necessary to distinguish between legalities and realities. Unless this be done, passion, prejudice, and propaganda on both sides will so bedevil the whole situation that almost anything may happen.

The legalities are plain as a pikestaff. Germany's rearmament is a defiant repudiation of treaties which bear her signature. These treaties form the juristic basis of post-war Europe; nay, further, they are in part the foundation upon which rests the concept of a new world-order personified by the League of Nations. To tear up, single-handed, those solemn covenants, as Germany is today obviously doing, is to violate the sanctity of international pledges and upset the whole existing international order. So runs the legal argument. And, from a technical standpoint, it is unanswerable.

Yet there is an answer, quite untechnical but terribly real, in the presence of an embattled Germany thunderously applauding this defiance and apparently ready to support it even in a war against hopeless odds. On this, Germany is obviously united as never before. It is safe to say that, in this matter, every German who feels himself to be a German stands shoulder to shoulder with his fellows, regardless of party politics or religious creed. If Germany is in rebellion, she is rebelling pretty close to 100 per cent.

When a situation like this arises, it is well to recall Edmund Burke's famous remark: "You can not indict a people." There must be a reason, and a very compelling reason, why the Germans deliriously acclaim a governmental policy which not only affronts most of their European neighbors so flagrantly but which is likewise so exceedingly dangerous to themselves. Whole nations do not joyfully risk the possibility of slaughter and ruin out of mere self-interest, ambition, or arrogant pride. Deep emotions must be involved. Self-respect and honor, individual and collective, must be deemed at stake.

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AS a matter of fact, that is just what is deemed at stake. And this belief is not due to Nazi propaganda. It has inflamed every German heart ever since the signing of the Treaty of Versailles. For 15 years the whole German people, save perchance a few extreme Communists or a handful of ultra-pacifists, have grimly awaited the day when a German government (no matter what government) would abjure the "Versailles dictatorship" and vindicate Germany's position as once more that of full equality among the nations of the earth.

Let us see why this is so. The Versailles Conference was unique in diplomatic annals. For the first time in modern history a peace-settlement following a major war was conducted solely by the victors. Even in the diplomatic "congresses" which disposed of the decadent, semibarbarous Ottoman Empire, Turkish delegates were politely received and were permitted to state their case. But at Versailles the Germans were not let inside the door until the documents were all made out, and they were then admitted only to "sign on the dotted line."

Furthermore, during the long months while the conference was in session, the war-time "hunger blockade" of Germany was kept in force, perhaps to break the Germans' spirit and render them in a signatory mood. Incidentally, the Germans claim that this armistice blockade cost the lives of several hundred thousand persons, mostly old men, women and babies, and stunted millions of German children. At any rate, all Germans firmly believe this. It is one of the many memories that has molded German thought and determines German action.

When at last Germany's delegates were brought into the stately Hall of Mirrors to affix their signatures, they were confronted with a document diplomatically as unique as had been the conference which had framed it. First and foremost (in German eyes) they had to admit full responsibility for the war, with all its dreadful consequences.

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THIS was something no beaten nation had ever before been compelled to do. Also, it was something which the Germans instantly stigmatized as "The War-Guilt Lie." And, broadly speaking, it *was* a lie. Historical research has since convincingly shown that, while the imperial German government apparently did more than anyone else to precipitate the war, the war itself was due to a whole complex of causes, some of which run back for generations and which involve nearly every European government as well.

Even if this war-guilt clause had been merely a bit or rhetoric, it would have ulcerated German pride badly enough. But it was far more than that. In fact, it served as the allies' chief justification for all the other harsh clauses: for astronomical indemnities and bills of damages; for territorial cessions without plebiscites; for Germany's unilateral disarmament; for the taking of all her colonies.

The theory was explicitly stated that, since the imperial German government had deliberately planned and launched this hellish war, the German people behind such a government was uniquely dangerous and must therefore be kept disarmed and in a condition of semitutelage for an indefinite period—until, that is, the victors in the great war generally agreed that this exceptional status might safely be terminated. To this very day the war-guilt clause remains legally in full force, and the logical French have absolutely refused to see it abrogated. The Germans are therefore quite justified in considering that, under the Versailles Treaty, they were not an independent nation and could not be a self-respecting people.

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THE inevitable consequence of such an attitude is that the Germans have always regarded this imposed treaty as an intolerable outrage, every clause of which, good, bad and indifferent, was morally null and void. To cap the climax, the Allies' refusal even to begin disarmament on their side, under the explicit provisions of Article V of the Versailles Treaty seemed to Germans a peculiarly odious bit of hypocrisy.

The upshot of all this has been the continual exacerbation of a gnawing inferiority complex that has rendered German national life more and more abnormal. Being thus abnormal, postwar Germany was bound to produce highly unpleasant political forms and personages. If Hitler had been killed away back in his first absurd Munich beer-hall revolt, some one else strikingly like Hitler would undoubtedly have forged to the front. Hitler is mainly a by-product of Versailles; so is the Third Reich; so is contemporary Germany's whole half-insane state of mind. And, unless conditions alter, should Hitler miraculously vanish, somebody still more sinister would probably take his place.

Meanwhile, Germany is dangerous. And, at best, Germany will continue to be dangerous for quite a long time. Fifteen years of the Versailles regime can not be undone in a day. All the more necessary, then, to consider some new policy which will begin to make Germany less dangerous.

What that policy should be is ably outlined by a British publicist in the current number of The Round Table. It is "to go to the Germans frankly and openly, and without preconceived ideas or arrangements, and ask them how they are prepared to cooperate in producing a better atmosphere in Europe . . . to incorporate in new agreements, for example, as an earnest of the new atmosphere, the abrogation not only of the disarmament clauses of the Treaty of Versailles, but also of that intensely wounding article which brands Germany with responsibility for the war. If Hitler is bluffing with his peace speeches, that is the way, and the only way, to call his bluff. If he is in earnest, that is the way to use his sincerity to bring the new Germany into the comity of nations and to stabilize peace. Were it possible to go even further, to ask the Germans to say now what they want, and by treaty revision to substitute at long last a negotiated for a dictated peace, the ideal way of laying disturbing nations to rest would probably have been found. But since that is obviously out of the question at present, to meet together and explore possibilities in a new spirit is the best that can be done."

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THAT is the way; the only way, if Europe is to have any future. It will be a long, hard road to retrace the errors of 15 years, and meanwhile Germany's threatened neighbors will be perfectly justified in keeping well armed and in perfecting genuinely defensive agreements to protect themselves against wanton attack. But the *spirit* of Versailles must be frankly abandoned.

What is the alternative? Suppose the "letter of the law" is upheld by force. Suppose rebellious Germany is presently crushed, devastated, even wiped off the map. The German people will remain. And what a mood they will be in! Hitler, will, of course, be deified as an arch-hero and martyr, while the Third Reich will seem a paradise laid waste by wicked neighbors. When we recall the consequences of partitioned Poland and suppressed Balkan peoples, who can doubt that the partitioned Germans would promptly engender enough political and social dynamite to cause an explosion which would soon lay all Europe in ruins

Such are the stern realities which legalistic politicians and military-minded general staff officers will have to face—and swallow—if Europe and Western civilization is much longer to endure.

Hambleton to Speak Before Bethesda Club

James I. Hambleton, chief of the Division of Bee Culture of the Bureau of Entomology and Plant Quarantine, United States Department of Agriculture, will speak Wednesday at 10 a. m. at a meeting of the Bethesda Community Garden Club at the Battery Park Community House.

Luncheon hostesses will be Mrs. George Hane, Mrs. Reginald B. Looker, Mrs. F .C. Brown, Mrs. E. A. A. Dunn and Mrs. George E. Pariseau.

BRENTANO'S

Anaconda Net Up $8,782,208 Over Last Year

General Electric, Western Electric and Pullman Report Gains.

By the Associated Press.

New York, March 24.—Anaconda Copper Mining Co. in its annual report issued today shows a net income for 1934 of $1,960,093 compared with a net loss in 1933 of $6,822,115.

Copper production from its own and subsidiary mines in 1934 was 326,843,633 pounds, an increase of 32 per cent over the previous year, and production of electrolytic zinc was 138,447,352 pounds, a decrease of 17 per cent from 1933.

A substantial reduction in the amount of bank loans outstanding was recorded with the end of 1934 total at $59,549,120 against $69,898,000 a year earlier.

General Electric Co.

Owen D. Young, chairman, and Gerard Swope, president, of General Electric Co., reported the average number of employes in 1934 was 49,642 against 41,560 in 1933, and average annual earnings per worker of $1,515 in 1934 against $1,330 in 1933, an increase of 13.9 per cent. The total annual pay roll rate increased 71 per cent in 1934 to $81,300,000.

Net income of General Electric in 1934 was $19,726,043 and $13,429,738 in 1933, as shown earlier in the preliminary statement.

Western Electric Co.

Edgar S. Bloom, president of Western Electric Co., Inc., referred to the impending investigation of the Bell system companies by the Federal Communications Commission and said, "Your officers are confident that the relationships and policies of the company will again be found to be sound and in the public interest."

The annual report showed that for the first time in five years the business of Western Electric improved over the previous year. Sales increased 20 per cent, but the company operated at less than 20 per cent of capacity and showed a loss of $7,751,548 against a 1933 loss of $13,772,504.

Pullman, Inc.

David A. Crawford, president of Pullman, Inc., called attention in the annual report of his company to the 1,291 air-conditioned Pullman cars in service at the end of last year and said:

"There is now under way a program for equipment of 2,000 additional Pullman-owned cars to be ready for service during the coming summer. With similar progress in equipment of railroad-owned passenger train cars, practically all of the important passenger trains in the country will soon be fully equipped with air-conditioned cars."

Consolidated net earnings of the company and its subsidiaries in 1934, as previously shown, were $2,957,669, compared with $2,672,864 in 1933.

Engineers Public Service Co.

C. W. Kellogg, chairman of the Engineers Public Service Co., said that if the House bill on holding companies was passed the companies not only would be regulated "but practically all such companies will be destroyed within five years."

The company reports consolidated net income of $5,534,817, compared with $5,852,998 in previous year and a decline of around $4,000,000 in assets.

Pure Oil Co. and its subsidiaries for 1934 shows a reduction of $2,000,000 in funded debt, and approximately $300,000 in bank loans and notes payable. The net working capital was $12,175,502 including $3,534,486 cash.

After giving effect to depreciation and depletion reserves of $6,938,436 and all other charges, including interest, there was a net loss of $884,872 which does not reflect the company's equity in the net income of associated companies, not consolidated, which amounted to $1,067,118.

Henry M. Dawes, president, in his letter to stockholders, states that additional oil reserves have been discovered during the year and the total is now estimated to be between 300,000,000 and 400,000,000 barrels.

Addressograph-Multigraph Corporation reports net profits for 1934 of $465,829, or 62 cents per share, compared with a net loss of $322,496 in 1933. Joseph E. Rogers, president, said that there had been a marked increase of business in the office equipment field which may be taken as an index of a general business upswing.

Argonaut Mining Co. reports 1934 earnings of $271,726 or $1.36 a share, compared with $176,396 in 1933, or 88 cents a share. The company abandoned operations during the last quarter of 1934 on account of labor troubles, but resumed recently.

International Printing Ink Corporation had declared a special dividend of 25 cents on the common stock, payable May 1 to stock of record April 15. This is the fourth special distribution of 25 cents since last September.

Chemicals Are Lower; Paint Demand Rises

New York, March 24.—Price reductions in the markets for heavy and fine chemicals last week affected a number of articles of importance in several divisions, the Oil, Paint and Drug Reporter will say in its March 25 issue. Advances were relatively few, although these also applied to some major materials.

The state of business was little changed; demand for paint materials showed further improvement and the seasonal call for insecticides was beginning. In most consuming circles buyers appeared to be still more cautious.

Transit Revenue Down.

The Transit Journal reports another drop in transit revenues for the week ended March 16 which pushed the index down to 96.98 compared with 98.40 for the previous week. The decline was general in all sections, the publication [illegible]

Legislative Outlook Is Seen As Less Disturbing to Business

Utility Bill Viewed as Almost Certain to Be Greatly Modified.

By Ralph Robey.

Business reports remained colorless last week and most of those following current conditions directed their attention to the various extraneous developments that are keeping the outlook so cloudy. First place among these was given, as it has been for some weeks, and in spite of European difficulties, to the situation in Washington. This situation on the whole, as viewed solely from the point of view of future of business, is regarded as becoming slightly more favorable. At least it is felt that this is true in connection with the legislative outlook.

The more favorable legislative outlook is based upon the belief that there is now comparatively little probability of some of pending Administration bills being enacted in their present form. Outstanding in this particular is the public utilities holding company bill. It is believed that the odds are still that some utility company bill will be passed, but that it will not be the pending measure as now drawn.

The basis for this view on utility legislation is threefold: First, that the measure as drawn is so drastic that an increasing number of people are realizing that it would be a serious hinderance to recovery; secondly, that the utility companies are carrying on, in spite of the President's reprimand, an effective campaign against the measure, and thirdly, that the President himself, in his special measure, gave evidences of a willingness to compromise.

Passage of Banking Bill Viewed as 40-60 Chance.

Developments in connection with the banking bill also were regarded as favorable during the week. This means that the testimony of Gov. Eccles is viewed as having weakened the chance of passage of the measure. This is not because it is believed that the governor made a bad impression on the House committee, for all reports have been just the reverse of that, but because the governor assured strong opposition to the bill by the frankness with which he outlined its purpose.

In other words, it became clear from the testimony of Gov. Eccles that the bill is designed to bring, not only the Federal Reserve system, but the entire banking system, under the direction of the Federal Government. The commercial banks are to become, as viewed by the governor, providers of unlimited funds to the Federal Government. If the banks fail in this, they either will be taken over by the Government, or the Government will issue paper money—which means, among other things, ruination of the banks.

Such a potentiality, needless to say, will not be favorably received by the banks of the country. Rightly or wrongly, they still believe that they should be the judges of how many Government bonds they should hold. Neither do they believe, as the governor said, that they at present merely are being subsidized by the Government.

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They still look upon themselves as independent institutions, acting to a large extent as trustees for their depositors. The governor, in brushing aside all such considerations, openly invited trouble for his measure. How extensive this trouble may become is reflected by the view that the odds are about 60 to 40 that the banking bill will not be passed by this session of Congress.

Works Relief Bill of Only Secondary Interest.

The other bills making up the Administration's legislative program received only limited attention from the business analysts during the week. The works relief bill, although it remained constantly on the front pages of the newspaper, is not considered of immediate interest. As stated here repeatedly the analysts do not believe that it will be possible to spend this money quickly enough to make any appreciable change in the near-term volume of business. Insofar as the immediate outlook is concerned, accordingly, the passage of the works relief bill is regarded as of little importance.

Likewise the great ado about bonus legislation during the week has been of virtually no interest to the analysts. They long have accepted it as a certainty that the House in due time would pass a bonus measure. But they have not considered that such passage would provide an indication of the ultimate fate of the measure. When the bill comes up in the Senate the situation will be different. Since that is some weeks away it is felt there is little occasion to become aroused over the fact that the House is overwhelmingly in favor of a bonus payment.

Insofar as the rest of the Administration's program is concerned there is little discussion except on the fate of the NRA. The reason for this interest is the belief that if the life of the NRA is not extended, there will be widespread price warfare during the summer. It is held, accordingly, that an NRA measure will be driven through this session of Congress.

If one takes the legislative picture as a whole, then it is possible to draw the conclusion that the outlook is a little less bad than it was in the days when every week witnessed the introduction of another what Mr. Kennedy, of the SEC, has called "legislative monstrosity." Some of the measures that a few weeks ago seemed almost certain to become laws now promise to be lost insofar as this session of Congress is concerned. Such loss in all cases will not be a net gain, but at least it is a favorable development from the point of view of business.

Eccles Testimony Held to Reduce Chance of Banking Measure.

It means not only that business men will have less to worry about during the coming year but as well that such legislation as is passed will reflect more care on the part of Congress than would be the case if the entire program of the Administration were to be enacted.

Pessimism Continues for Long-Term Viewpoint.

This does not mean, it may be emphasized, that business analysts have become great optimists about the future. They are far from that. On the whole, their prognostication remains about as pessimistic—or as favorable—as it has for some months. In brief, this is that the balance of the year will be far from smooth sailing. They do not see any great decline of business during the next few months, but neither do they see a solution of the underlying problems confronting us.

Heavy industries are continuing to lag, with no signs of an appreciable pick-up in the future. This means that unemployment will continue large. And with unemployment continuing large, dissatisfaction among large masses of the population will continue and the Administration will be faced with the political necessity of trying to appease such dissatisfaction by more and more spending.

From the longer run point of view, then, the outlook remains much as it has for a considerable period, namely, continued fluctuation of business around a relatively low level of activity for the economy as a whole.

Ultimately, of course, this situation will change, for an economy cannot continue indefinitely to pour out funds at the rate at which the Administration has spent money in the last two years.

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World Purchases Of U. S. Cotton At Four-Year Low

New York, March 24.—World consumption of American cotton registered slightly more than the usual decline from January to February, and was the smallest February consumption since 1931, according to a report issued by the New York Cotton Exchange Service.

In the United States, consumption declined more than usual, while it declined less than usual in foreign countries. Domestic mills used more cotton in February than in any February since 1930, but mills in the major divisions of the world spinning industry abroad used less than in February in recent years. The world stock of American cotton on February 28 was the smallest for that date since 1930.

"World consumption of American cotton during February totaled approximately 958,000 bales," says the Exchange Service, "as compared with 1,050,000 in January, 1,116,000 in February last year, and 1,110,000 two years ago."

Steel Activity 46% Capacity; Down 2 Points

Buying of Shapes and Tin Plate Fail to Offset Declines.

Cleveland, March 24.—Awards of 53,000 tons of structural shapes, another substantial increase in automobile production, and an advance in tin plate output to 85 per cent last week were insufficient to compensate for a general decline in forward buying, the net result being a 2-point drop to 46 per cent in steelworks operations, states the magazine Steel.

Automobile assemblies last week totaled 100,000, a gain of 3,000. One leading manufacturer has finished parts on hand for 60 days, a few for 30 days. While new specifications from automobile manufacturers have dropped for the second consecutive week, present orders for cold-rolled material can not be delivered before seven to eight weeks, and in some instances nine weeks, indicating that the bulk of buying by the industry for the first half has been done.

In tin plate, mills still are adding to backlogs from container manufacturers. If obsolete tin mill capacity were to be disregarded, they could be considered as producing at 95 per cent. Actual output is close to a record for March.

Shape awards for the week were inflated to the largest tonnage since the first week in May, 1933, by the placing of 33,000 tons for New York's Triboro Bridge; 10,000 tons for Bethlehem Steel Co.'s sheet mill building in Lackawanna, N. Y., and 6,000 tons for the Tennessee Valley authority's hydroelectric projects.

Central Railroad of Brazil has awarded a $15,000,000 electrification project to Metropolitan-Vickers Ltd., England. Steel's London correspondent cables British import duties on steel have been raised to 50 per cent from 33⅓ per cent.

Retail Failures Rise for Week EndedMarch14

New York, March 24.—Business failures in the United States for the week ended March 14, as reported to Dun & Bradstreet, Inc., showed a slight upward tendency. The total for the latest week was 232, against 216 for the week preceding and 249 a year ago.

Retail failures rose to 145, against 126 a week earlier, and the wholesale insolvencies, which numbered 18, showed a rise of 3, compared to the total for the previous week. In the manufacturing group the number was lowered by 2, while in the other commercial classification the total dropped to 20, as compared with 24 a week ago.

When analyzed by geographical divisions, increases appeared for Middle Atlantic, Central East, Central West, Western and Pacific. A falling-off was registered in the New England, South Atlantic and South Central.

Analysis of Week's Failures.

By Trade Groups and Geographical Divisions:	Week Mar. 14 1935	Week Mar. 7 1935	Week Mar. 15 1934
Trade Groups:			
Retail	145	126	141
Wholesale	18	15	20
Manufacturing	49	51	70
Other Commercial	20	24	22
Total U. S.	232	216	249
Geographical Divisions:			
New England	23	26	34
Middle Atlantic	97	87	89
South Atlantic	10	21	16
South Central	10	26	12
Central East	43	29	45
Central West	13	8	17
Western	3	1	3
Pacific	33	24	33
Total U. S.	232	216	249

Rubber Trade AtCrossroads

Industry Is in Need of a Burbank, Says William C. Geer.

The rubber industry is at the crossroads, William C. Geer, of Ithaca, N. Y., former vice president in charge of development of the B. F. Goodrich Co., declares in a report made public by the committee of the American Chemical Society, which is arranging the tercentenary celebration in New York, April 22 to 26, of the founding of the Nation's chemical industries. Two courses, according to Mr. Geer, are open to the industry—"either to keep on along present lines or to branch out upon a broad, intense program of fundamental research."

He advocates a ten-year plan of cooperative research. The idea, he declared, should commend itself to stockholders because it would mean new markets and to executives because in scientific investigation they now face the law of diminishing returns.

The growth of crude rubber in this country should, but probably will not, be extensively pursued, says Mr. Geer, asserting that "we need a rubber Burbank as a successor to Edison in Florida."

London to Institute Open Silver Market

London, March 24 (AP).—Dealings in silver on an open market will be instituted May 1, the London Metal Exchange announced today.

The market will be open from 1:20 to 1:25 p. m. and 3:45 to 4:15 p. m. week-days, and 11:30 to 11:45 a. m. Saturdays. Dealings will be in 5,000-ounce warrants.

Wilson Joins National Sugar.

New York, March 24.—It was announced in sugar circles today that Earl B. Wilson vice president of the New York Coffee and Sugar Exchange and a partner of Wilson & Higgons, 100 Wall street, is withdrawing as a partner of that firm to join the National Sugar Refining Co. in an executive capacity and as the buyer of raw sugar. The present business of Wilson & Higgons will be continued by J. A. Higgons, jr.

On the Air Today

The Post Radio Time-Table

Monday, March 25. Washington Eastern Standard Time.

	WRC 316M—950KC	WMAL 476M—630KC	WOL 476M—630KC	WJSV 205M—1,460KC	
6:30				Elder Michaux	6:30
6:45				" "	6:45
7:00	Your Timekeeper	Morning Glories	Musical Clock	Sun Dial	7:00
7:15	" "	" "	" "	" "	7:15
7:30	" "	Getter Upper	" "	" "	7:30
7:45	Govt. Standards	The Grenadiers	" "	" "	7:45
8:00	Timekeeper	Morning Devotions	" "	" "	8:00
8:15	"	Don Hall Trio	" "	" "	8:15
8:30	"	Cheerio	" "	" "	8:30
8:45	"	"	" "	" "	8:45
9:00	"	News	Jimmy Rich	" "	9:00
9:15	Dick Leibert	Breakfast Club	" "	Jean Abbey	9:15
9:30	Sick Children	" "	Police Flashes	Blues Cure	9:30
9:45	Caroline Baker	" "	Uncle Pete	" "	9:45
10:00	Press News	Josephine Gibson	Better Homes	Press News	10:00
10:15	Clara, Lu, Em	Ward & Muzzy	Lonesome Pine	Bill & Ginger	10:15
10:30	Breen & DeRose	Today's Children	Washboard Blues	Serenade	10:30
10:45	Joe White	Press News	Variety and Value	POST Program	10:45
11:00	Navy Band	Honeymooners	Two Pianos	Land o' Dreams	11:00
11:15	" "	Tony Wons	Variety and Value	" "	11:15
11:30	" "	Augustana	ABC Ensemble	Patti Chapin	11:30
11:45	" "	College Choir	Hunt's Orchestra	Housewife	11:45
AFTERNOON PROGRAMS					
12:00	Mary Marlin	Listening Post	Lost and Found	Voice of Ex'nce	12:00
12:15	H'yboy, Sas'fras	Bennett Sisters	Prior's Orch.	The Gumps	12:15
12:30	Merry-Go-Round	Farm, Home Hour	Three Radioettes	Aft'n Rhythms	12:30
12:45	Merry Madcaps	" "	Slaughter's Orch.	Orientale	12:45
1:00	Two Hearts	Farm Home Hour	Erny's Ensemble	Eton Boys	1:00
1:15	Mer. & Mfgrs.	" "	Ferry Boat Duo	Slaughter's Ens.	1:15
1:30	Rex Battle	Al and Lee Reiser	Chic Farmer	Savitt's Orch.	1:30
1:45	C. A. Cooke	Words and Music	Bob Emery	Schuster's Orch.	1:45
2:00	Revolving Stage	Music Guild	Tune Tinkers	Mario	2:00
2:15	" "	" "	" "	Helen Trent	2:15
2:30	Dr. S. Bates	" "	Empire String	American	2:30
2:45	Mario Cozzi	Irving Kennedy	Quartet	School of Air	2:45
3:00	Vic and Sade	"The Silver Box"	Three Voices	Cobina Wright	3:00
3:15	Ma Perkins	" "	Hi-Tones Trio	" "	3:15
3:30	Dr'ms Come True	" "	To be announced	" "	3:30
3:45	Sizzlers	" "	To be announced	" "	3:45
4:00	Woman's Review	Betty and Bob	Today's Winners	Little House	4:00
4:15	" "	Dog Stories	" "	Rhythm Bandbox	4:15
4:30	John Martin	Tea Time	" "	Variety Prog'm	4:30
4:45	Songfellows	To be announced	" "	" "	4:45
5:00	Sundown Revue	News	Slaughter's	Ev'ning Rhythms	5:00
5:15	Tom Mix	Aunt Sue & Polly	Orchestra	Skippy	5:15
5:30	Chasin' the Blues	Singing Lady	Radio Voices	Jack Armstrong	5:30
5:45	Stamp Club	Little Orph'n Annie	Eldridge Kenny	Dick Tracy	5:45
NIGHT PROGRAMS					
6:00	Sports Review	Army Band	Today in Sports	Buck Rogers	6:00
6:15	Jimmy Allen	Accord'g to Kimb'l	Military Band	Sports Review	6:15
6:30	Tyner & Leech	Sports Parade	Govt. Family	The Shadow	6:30
6:45	Kaleidoscope	Lowell Thomas	To be announced	" "	6:45
7:00	Musical Cocktail	Amos 'n' Andy	Don Rogers	Myrt and Marge	7:00
7:15	Black Chamber	Plantation Echoes	News	Just Plain Bill	7:15
7:30	Easy Aces	Red Davis	Pearl Islanders	The O'Neills	7:30
7:45	Uncle Ezra	Dangerous P'radise	Contest News	Boake Carter	7:45
8:00	Champions	Jan Garber	String Trio	Diane	8:00
8:15	"	" "	Lonely Jack	Edwin C. Hill	8:15
8:30	Gladys	Carefree Carnival	Detective Drama	Kate Smith	8:30
8:45	Swarthout	" "	" "	" "	8:45
9:00	Pacemakers	Minstrels	Concert Band	Andre	9:00
9:15	"	"	" "	Kostelanetz	9:15
9:30	Music at the	Players	Voice and Violin	The Big Show	9:30
9:45	Haydens	"	" "	" "	9:45
10:00	Contented	Jackie Heller	Boxing Bouts	Wayne King's	10:00
10:15	Program	POSTILION	" "	Orchestra	10:15
10:30	Forum	Hebrew	" "	Lilac Time	10:30
10:45	"	Congregation	" "	" "	10:45
11:00	News	Lotus Orch.	Frasetto's Orch.	Moon Dial	11:00
11:15	Jesse Crawford	" "	Sports Flashes	" "	11:15
11:30	Stan Meyer's	Slumber Hour	John Slaughter's	Arnheim's Orch.	11:30
11:45	Orchestra	" "	Orchestra	" "	11:45
12:00	Bryant's	Shandor	Sign off	Reverie	12:00
12:15	Orchestra	Jarrett's Orch.		Kay's Orch.	12:15
12:30	Leonard Keller's	Jack Berger's		" "	12:30
12:45	Orchestra	Orchestra		" "	12:45
1:00	Sign off	Sign off		Sign off	1:00

By Katherine Smith.

WAAL, the hill-billies are coming into their own with a new, extended, sponsored program starting next Saturday night, 11 to midnight, on WJSV. This program, formerly called something about our barn loft, will consist of three—no less—honest to goodness hill-billy orchestras, quaintly called the Happy Hicks, the Potomac Highlanders sounds a trifle Scotch) and the Barnyard Revelers. A quartet will sing old-time songs and a few hymns; soloists are Ernest Stoneman, billed as the original hill-billy, and Joe Krahling, who is just as original.

Bill Bivens, WJSV announcer, is to be master of ceremonies; Ephram Lee does a bit of preaching, the studio audience is invited to bring their cow bells and join in the fun. Better still, somebody is out looking for a barn, so later they can put the show into it and have a nice authentic atmosphere.

Guest orchestras and soloists are welcomed. Anyone wishing an audition should call Bill Bivens at WJSV, ME. 3200, and he'll arrange it.

Starting today and on each Monday, Wednesday and Friday hereafter, there'll be new program on WJSV, 10:45 a. m., called "Blue Melody and Black Philosophy," with Ephram Lee and Ham Jackson supplying both. The philosophical color does not mean that the program is not suitable for children—probably refers to the accent of the philosopher.

Subbing today for Bill Coyle is Bill McCormick, of The Post, who will discuss the Natie Brown-Joe Lewis fight, which will be held March 29, in Detroit, and other sports subjects.

MUSICAL PROGRAMS: Lucrezia Bori sings "The Touch of Your Hand," from "Roberta;" the Argentine number, "Ay, Ay, Ay;" Flowtow's ballad, "The Last Rose of Summer" and "Waltz," by Buzzi-Peccia. On WJSV, 9:00 p. m.

Nelson Eddy is on WRC, 8:30 p. m. His program: "Il Balen" from Verdi's opera "Il Trovatore" Dix's "The Trumpeter," and "You and the Night of Music." Keep an eye on this lad. He'll be doing better and bigger things one day.

NBC Music Guild features Brahms' Trio in E flat and Beethoven's Trio in E flat.

Speeches:

Dr. Sanford Bates, from the Prison Bureau, WRC, 2:30 p. m. on "The Federal Prison of Alcatraz Island."

Senator Tydings, WRC, 10:30 p. m. on "Soldiers' Bonus Legislation."

Union of Hebrew Congregations program: Joseph D. Kaufman, chairman. Speakers: Irving Lehman, on "The Future of Judaism in America," Rabbi Louis Wolsey on the same subject and Mrs. Max C. Sloss on "What Can We Women Contribute to the Future of Judaism in America." On WMAL, 10:30 p. m.

Here and there:

Radio Guild presents Galsworthy's drama, "The Silver Box," WMAL, 3 p. m.

Alistair Cooke, writer and movie critic for the British Broadcasting Co., discusses "American Speech and the Cinema." WRC, 1:45 p. m.

The struggle between loyalty and devotion is found in "Crisis," three-act drama, on WMAL, 9:30 p. m.

"Forbidden Melody," new song, written by Otto Harbach for "Music at the Haydns'," comes through tonight on WRC, 9 p. m. Music is by Gerald Marks.

The Jones Boys are on the Carefree Carnival, WMAL, 8:30 p. m. They are a Negro "band" of five voices.

"The Big Show" starts out tonight under a renewed contract, 9:30, WJSV. Cast will be the same: Block and Sully, Gertrude Niessen, Lud Gluskin and his Continental Orchestra.

Frances Maddux, Manhattan night-club entertainer, is guest on Corbin Wright, WJSV, 3 p. m.

Denver Road Faces Courts

Representatives Disagree With the RFC.

By the Associated Press.

Likelihood of the Denver & Rio Grande Western Railroad being placed soon in the hands of Federal courts for reorganization within loomed yesterday as officials of the road and representatives of bondholders abruptly left a conference with Reconstruction Finance Corporation officials.

Objections of the bondholders' representatives to a plan for reducing fixed interest charges two-thirds by issuance of income bonds, and the claim of Reconstruction officials that fixed charges had not been reduced sufficiently were blamed for the situation. Negotiations, however, may be resumed for Government assistance in forestalling the complete turning over of the road to court jurisdiction.

T. M. Schumacher and L. W. Baldwin, representing, respectively, the Western Pacific Railroad and the Missouri Pacific, joint owners of the Rio Grande, conferred with John Barriger, chief examiner; Jesse H. Jones, chairman of the RFC, and representatives of the bondholders. The plan presented called for reduction of fixed interest charges to $1,733,000 a year and for bondholders taking two-thirds of their holdings in income bonds instead of fixed interest bonds.

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11:15 Housekeepers Chat, U. S. Department of Agriculture.
11:30 Shoppers' Guide.

AFTERNOON.
12:15 Minute Men.
1:00 Martinsburg Programs.
3:30 Tea Time Tunes.
4:00 Health in the Home.
4:15 Ruler of Rhythm.
4:30 Homer, Happy and Oscar.
4:45 Buyers' Previews.
5:00 Uncle Sam at Your Service.
5:15 Bob Crellman.
5:30 Sports Flashes.
5:45 Twilight Melodies.
6:15 Sign Off.

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Hudson Motor Wages Up 75%

Material Costs Rise 82 Per Cent From Low Point.

New York, March 24.—If the developments in the automobile industry over the past few years, during which time production of motor cars has practically doubled, are viewed from the standpoint of their social significance, recovery may yet roll in on the country "on the wheels of the automobile," provided there is no interruption in the current progress, Roy D. Chapin, president of the Hudson Motor Car Co., said today.

The Hudson company alone spent $35,000,000 for materials and supplies of all kinds in 1934, while pay rolls aggregated $13,500,000. This compares with material costs of $19,165,000 and payrolls of $7,707,000 in 1932, the low year of the depression. Thus, purchases showed an increase of 82 per cent and payrolls 75 per cent as compared with 1932. These figures, said Mr. Chapin, clearly demonstrate the importance of a prosperous automobile industry from the standpoint of its social effect on business and labor in general. During the five depression years 1930-34, inclusive, Hudson Motor Car Co. spent more than $210,000,000 for materials and labor.

As to employment, Mr. Chapin said the average number of men employed by the company in 1934 was 8,790, the largest for any year since 1930. These figures are exclusive of approximately 27,000 persons employed by Hudson and Terraplane dealers in the sale and servicing of cars throughout the country.

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Food Prices Rise Faster Than Incomes

New York, March 24.—During the past two years, food prices, on the average, have shown an increase of 48.8 per cent according to the Business Conditions Weekly of the Alexander Hamilton Institute. The food price index, based on 1923-1925 as 100, was 56.8 at the low for the depression in March, 1933. The index in January of this year was 84.5. While there has been growing complaint over the high cost of food, the situation has not yet become sufficiently critical to threaten dangerous labor disturbances. This is due to the fact that an increase in the average earnings per factory worker has accompanied the rise in food prices.

While earnings showed an increase of only 29.3 per cent from the low of the depression as compared with the rise of 48.8 per cent in food prices, earnings started their rise at a relatively higher level than food prices. Consequently, the index of earnings in January was 81.6, or only slightly lower than the food index of 84.5. This discrepancy was insignificant as compared with the discrepancy in 1919 and 1920, a period which was featured by a serious epidemic of strikes.

The present situation, however, has one decidedly unfavorable aspect. With food prices relatively higher than earnings, labor will put up a strong resistance to the reduction in wage rates needed to stimulate revival. It thus follows that full recovery will tend to be postponed until food prices decline, a development which is not in immediate prospect because of the current shortage of foodstuffs as the result of last year's drought and acreage restriction measures.

Gen. Motors Pay Rose 53.8% In Past Year

Current Wage Scale Is Highest in History of the Corporation.

New York, March 24.—In the annual statement to stockholders, Alfred P. Sloan, jr., president of General Motors Corporation, said 1934 pay rolls of $263,204,225 were 53.8 per cent greater than in 1933 and that the current wage scale is higher than ever before in the corporation's history. The company's 1934 earnings, as previously reported, were $94,769,131 compared with 1933 earnings of $83,213,676.

Dividends of $1.50 per share were paid on the common stock during the year, consisting of four regular quarterly payments of 25 cents per share and an extra dividend of 50 cents per share paid on September 12, 1934. This is equivalent to $64,443,490 distributed to approximately 330,000 common stock holders. Dividends on the common stock in 1933 amounted to $1.25 per share.

Net working capital as of December 31, 1934, amounted to $275,645,866, as compared with $243,832,896 at December 31, 1933.

Total sales of cars and trucks to dealers, including Canadian sales, overseas shipments and production from foreign sources, for the year 1934 amounted to 1,240,447 units, as against 869,035 units for the year 1933, a gain of 42.7 per cent.

Provident Mutual Is 70 Years Old

Philadelphia, March 24.—Addressing representatives of the Provident Mutual Life Insurance Co. from numerous cities attending the 70th anniversary of the founding of the company at the home office here, M. A. Linton outlining the history of the company said:

"In 1865, the Provident had $324,000 of life insurance in force; in 1885 this amount had risen to $45,000,000; in 1905 to $177,000,000; in 1925 to $757,000,000, and is now nearly $1,000,000,000. Up to December 31, 1934, it had paid $513,000,000 to its policyholders and their beneficiaries."

Bank Clearings Up in South.

Atlanta, March 24 (AP).—Bank clearings in the sixth district were up, the midweek compilation showed, while department stores' sales were about equal in volume to those of last year. A late Easter is retarding buying apparently, one store said.

The Reserve Bank reported clearings of $48,700,000 against $41,200,000 the previous week.

Penn R.R. Gains $18,952,886 In '34 Revenue

Expenses Cut Net; 1929 Wage Scale Will Be in Force April 1.

Philadelphia, March 24.—The annual report of the Pennsylvania Railroad Co. for 1934 made public today shows that net earnings were maintained at substantially the same level as the previous year, despite an expanded program of track and equipment maintenance and heavy increases in labor material, fuel and other costs.

Operating revenues increased $18,952,886, a feature of which was an advance of $4,810,336, in revenue from passenger service, the first increase recorded in passenger revenues over the preceding year since 1926. Operating expenses advanced $22,017,761. On April 1, the full 1929 levels of wages will be fully restored.

Net Per Share Decreases.

The net income per share was $1.43 compared with $1.46 in 1933. Out of the net income, $5,095,380 was applied to sinking and other reserve funds, and $13,167,696 was paid to stockholders in two dividends of 1 per cent each.

Gen. W. W. Atterbury, president, in the report calls attention to the continued progress made during the year on the New York-Washington electrification project and to the opening of through electric passenger train operation on February 10. The entire project will be completed within the next several months for both freight and passenger service.

A strong note of warning to the stockholders is sounded by Gen. Atterbury in calling attention to the deluge of proposed legislation in Congress and the State Legislatures which would adversely affect the industry.

"The proposed legislation, if enacted," he states, "would place an insupportable burden upon the railroads without advantages to the employes. Any treatment of their problems which omitted consideration of the overhanging threat to the integrity of the industry would be tantamount to the destruction of efforts looking toward recovery in the field of railroad transportation. Such legislation would mean ultimately less employment in the railroad industry rather than an increase in employment, as contended by the sponsors of this legislation."

Bank of America Business at Peak

San Francis Co., March 24 (AP). The Bank of America announced today its index of Far Western business reached during February its highest point since last July and, except for the latter month, the highest since February, 1932.

The February index was 66.4, 5 per cent over February, 1934, and nearly 17 per cent over February, 1933. The index is based on seasonally adjusted carloadings, bank debits and electric power production.

559th Dividend.

Boston, March 24.—A dividend of 20 per cent, payable on all policies expiring in May, 1935, has been declared by the American Mutual Liability Insurance Co. This is American Mutual's 559th consecutive dividend of 20 per cent or more.

Dividend Changes.

Favorable dividend changes in the current week totaled 22 against 25 in the previous week, according to the Standard Statistics Co. Unfavorable changes numbered 11 against 9 in the previous week.

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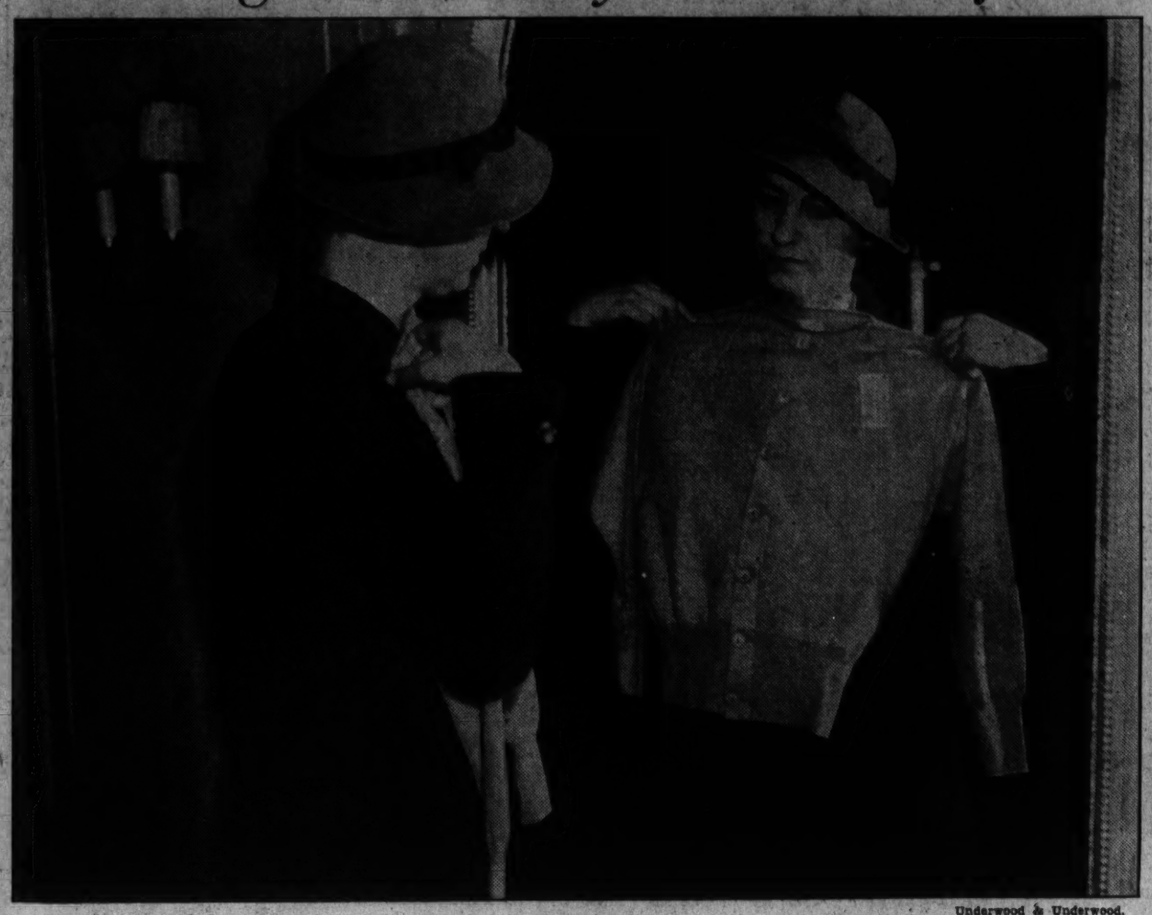
Newspaper Women of Washington Are Busy With Plans for Their Forthcoming Ball

MISS FRANCES MANGUM,
of The Washington Post, tries various ensembles before electing one for the fashion show to be given next Saturday evening.



Underwood & Underwood.

MISS WILMA LA VILLE,
fashion editor of the Washington Times, snapped as she was considering one of the sweaters to be modeled in the fashion show which will be given Saturday evening during the Bal Masque at the Willard Hotel.

MISS BETTY HYNES,
fashion editor of the Washington Herald, who is to be one of the models, "looks over" the newest of evening styles.

Brilliant Party Is Given By German Ambassador

Herr Luther Is Genial Host to Smart Younger Set at Dance in Honor of Third Secretary and Frau Struve, Home After Honeymoon.

By Evelyn Peyton Gordon.

The dance which the Ambassador of Germany, Herr Hans Luther, gave Saturday night in the embassy was one of the high spots of the spring social season. The party was given for the Third Secretary of the Embassy and Frau Struve, who recently returned after their wedding trip. Their marriage took place in February in California. Frau Struve, the former Miss Elinor Castendyk, is the daughter of Mrs. Christian Castendyk, of Honolulu and California. The young couple are making their home at 3257 N street.

The embassy is a grand old place for a party, with its high-ceilinged ballroom, great crystal chandeliers, the walls brocaded in pale rose, and the windows draped with curtains of palest green-flowered Beauvais tapestry.

The Ambassador, always a genial host, was wreathed in smiles Saturday night, for his guests were for the most part members of the smart younger set and Herr Luther loves young people. He received his guests with Frau Struve and very soon sent her to dance with the many young men who clamored for at least one turn on the dance floor with the tall blonde bride of Herr Struve. She wore her wedding gown, a lovely thing of heavy white satin, fashioned with a long flaring skirt, short puffed sleeves and a square neckline edged with white carnations.

A note of exquisite color was added to the party by the huge basket trays of flowers which were passed among the guests; bouquets of pink, white or talisman roses, with sweetpeas of the same shades for the ladies and boutonnieres of bright pink, red or white carnations for the men. Many of the young ladies wore on their shoulders huge bunches of the carnations, tributes collected from their dancing partners.

Real Vienna Waltzing.

"Sidney" quite outdid himself, playing many beautiful Viennese waltzes to which the couples really waltzed, the entire assembly dancing rhythmically in one direction instead of in the hit-and-miss fashion of modern dancing. Late in the evening the orchestra struck up a spritely tune, at first unfamiliar to the guests. Finally one couple discovered it to be a polka and the whole room swung into the gay motion.

In the large drawing room, where many of the guests sat between dances, there was a group of Hawaiian guitarists who played and sang delightfully. In the long dining room was a splendid buffet, which the guests visited frequently as they passed on their way for a glass of sparking beer, champagne, or the strawberry "bola" which was so popular.

The ladies of the embassy staff helped enormously to make the party the grand success that it was. Frau Leitner, wife of the Counselor, was there in a gown of pale powder blue moire, and pretty blonde Frau Scholz, wife of the First Secretary, wearing a gown of crisp black taffeta with a huge bunch of bright pink carnations on her shoulder and a tiny coronet in her hair. Frau Lohmann, wife of the Second Secretary, was in white satin, and Frau von Boetticher, wife of the Military Attache, had chosen black, while her young daughter, Fraulein Adelheid von Boetticher, was in a frock of light blue taffeta fashioned with a dropped shoulder line. She was one of the several who carried the trays of flowers among the guests and the shades of pink were beautifully contrasted with her blue frock.

Others in Group.

Others glimpsed in the gay gathering were Mrs. Truxtun Beale in a gown of pale green moire; Miss Alexandria Bacon, daughter of Representative and Mrs. Robert Low Bacon, in light green satin, a robe de style, and her sister, Miss Virginia Bacon, in picturesque black net; Miss Marvin Breckinridge wore a frock of deep rose taffeta, and Mrs. Arthur Puck, who, with her husband, the newly appointed Commercial Secretary of the British Embassy in Madrid, is spending several days in Washington, was in white crepe with a tunic embroidered in crystals.

Mrs. Harold Sims, the lovely Mitzi, wife of the Attache of the British Embassy, was in red crepe, Baroness Kurt Pantz, wife of the Viennese painter, wore pale pink lace. Mrs. Albert Dewey was in a robe de style of pale gold moire, fashioned with a dropped shoulder line; Miss Flors Mather, niece of the Minister of Hungary and Mme. Pelenyi, wore pale green satin, trimmed with soft beige fox; nearby was Signorina Maria Ferrero, sister of the Secretary of the Italian Embassy, in olive green crepe trimmed with cloth of silver, and Mme. Walravens, wife of the Attache of the Belgian Embassy, gloriously tanned from a recent stay in Florida, was wearing a gown of white crepe, with a necklace of heavy green beads.

Miss Phyllis Thompson had chosen the popular black net, and Miss Kulikowshi, sister of the new Second Secretary of the Polish Embassy, was in scarlet chiffon. Miss Betsy Dern, daughter of the Secretary of War and Mrs. Dern, was in rose satin and the Senoritas Patterson, daughters of the Cuban Ambassador, had chosen white crepe for the very blonde sister and deep blue for the brunette.

Miss Rebecca Wellington was in a frock of swirling black taffeta studded with rhinestones, while Mme. Saint, wife of the Attache of the French Embassy, wore Pervenche blue crepe, with a coronet of twisted velvet in a deeper shade in her blonde hair. Miss Nella Veverka, daughter of the Minister of Czechoslovakia and Mme. Veverka, was in black, as was the young Baroness von Nagel.

It was a beautful party. In the early morning hours guests said farewell to their host and then returned for another round of dancing before they finally departed.

Bride-to-Be Is Guest Of Mrs. W. M. Geddes

Miss Mary Alice Hammond, whose engagement to Mr. Robert E. Burns was recently announced by her mother, Mrs. Willa B. Hammond, was entertained at a dinner party of eight Saturday evening by Mrs. W. M. Geddes at her home on Columbia road.

The marriage will take place in April after which they will make a trip of several weeks abroad. On their return they will live in New York.

Business Group Of Women Meet Here Tomorrow

Session Will Be Held at Y. W. C. A.; Dr. Seesholtz to Be Speaker.

The business and professional women throughout the United States and in 20 other countries will gather at Y. W. C. A. banquet tables and exchange greetings of friendship tomorrow evening. Dr. Anne Seesholtz, executive secretary for the Council of Women for Home Missions, will be the guest of honor and speaker. "I'll Put a Girdle Round About the Earth in Forty Minutes," a skit written and directed by Mrs. Alice Sigworth Morse, will be presented with Mary O'Connor in the role of a "Puck." Others in the cast are Catherine Richardson, Mary Nell Smith, Maxine Meyers, Sara Motley, Hazel Zoerner, Mildred Cataldo, Mary Putnum, Gertrude Howard, Mathilda Berthiaume, Anne Gromley, Rosa Lee Busby and Alice Reid. The Business and Professional Women's Glee Club, under the direction of Mary M. Burnett, music secretary of the Y. W. C. A., with Carrie Sanders as accompanist, will sing. Those participating in the program are Elsie Baseman, Mabel Byler, Florence Duncan, Mrs. M. Embrey, Ruth Fish, Mildred Frasier, Mrs. D. T. Fuller, Lois G. German, Margaret Humphrey, Caroline Kanz, Mary E. Mitchell, Mae R. Murray. Mrs. Ruth Murphy, Jessie Smith, Bonita Sweet, Ora Belle Williams, Faye Zenor and Miss Hadley. The Folk Dancers in the program include Lucile Edick, Selka Eskey, Jane MacLeod, Imogene McElroy, Wanda Miller, Floria Mosco, Neita Rexroat and Catherine Richardson in the American group. Marian Allen, Dorothy Anderson, Almat Burger, Frances Bodenheimer, Lois Bowman, Peggy Cragg, Della Furzer, Lelia Kearney, Mary Powers and Louise Turner participate in the Swedish and Hungarian groups. In the German group are Dorothy Anderson, Peggy Cragg, Frances Bodenheimer and Mary Powers. Dorothy Seaton, Anna Belle Dierdorf, Mathilda Berthiaume, Peggy Yost and Lucy Wright take part in the Japanese group of folk dances. Two solo dances will be given, a Mexican dance, by Greta Atkins, and an Indian dance, by Anne Gromley. Mrs. Fred Widmer will play an accordian solo. Miss Edith J. Rieger, executive secretary of the Business and Professional Women's department, is in charge of general arrangements.

Many Expected For Horse Show

Class for Riding Schools at Exhibit Tomorrow Arouses Interest.

The indoor horse show to be held in the riding hall at Fort Myer, Va., tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock, will afford the spectators a thrilling evening with the various jumping classes, but the one class that is creating a great deal of enthusiasm among civilian horse lovers is that for riding schools.

Class 4 on the Fort Myer Horse Show program for next Tuesday evening is limited to horses owned by riding schools and must be ridden by pupils of riding schools that have never won a blue ribbon in any class. As a result of the conditions of the class, which was arranged by Col. Kenyon Joyce, commanding officer at Fort Myer, to further the growing interest in horsemanship in Washington, every local riding school is conducting classes for the training of their entries, and every representative selected will have the support of his or her friends.

This Time Newspaper Women Will Give Show—Not Cover It

Society to Take Back Seat While Reporter-Manikins Stage Fashion Parade at Washington Club's Dance Saturday.

One often hears the old saying about the letter carrier spending his holiday walking, and now it would seem that the newspaper women of the Capital, to whom fashion shows to be covered are frequent occurrences, are giving one of their very own at the ball to be held Saturday night at the Willard Hotel by the Newspaper Women's Club of Washington. It will be turning the tables perhaps—because society will sit back and do the viewing while their erstwhile reporters parade attired in the very latest styles for sports and day and evening. The manikins will include Mrs. J. Fred Essary, Miss Anne Marshall, Mrs. Georgia Knox Berry, Miss Grace McGerr, Mrs. Thew Johnson, Miss Evelyn Gordon, Miss Margaret Hart, Mrs. Newton Brewer, Miss Betty Hynes, Miss Frances Mangum and Miss Marylyn Reeve.

Miss Wilma LaVille and several of the models met Friday at Jelleff's, which is providing all of the clothes, to select frocks. Miss LaVille was attired in a chic double-breasted suit of oxford gray pin striped in pearl gray. Her crepe blouse was of nile green and her sports hat was of grey felt trimmed with a black ribbon.

Miss Mangum chose a tunic frock of black and white checked taffeta with a long black crepe skirt. The neck of the tunic fastened in the front with a crisp bow of the taffeta and its skirt flared stiffly out. The crepe skirt was less full. To complete the ensemble she wore a small straight brimmed hat of black French straw trimmed with moire ribbon which tied in the front, with the ends sticking up above the crown. Her T strap pumps were of black suede.

Miss Hynes was attired in a cocoa brown double-breasted suit with which she wore a canary linen blouse. Her sports model hat of matching felt was turned up in the back. Her oxfords were of brown kid.

NOTES OF SOCIETY

Official and Resident

The Minister of Panama, Senor Dr. Don Ricardo Alfaro, returned to Washington yesterday morning from a trip to Oklahoma, where he went to speak before the Pan American Student Farm Forum at the University of Oklahoma.

The Minister and Senora de Alfaro entertained at luncheon yesterday, when there were 16 guests.

Mrs. Ralph William Close, wife of the Minister of the Union of South Africa, will entertain at a luncheon on Thursday in honor of Mrs. Daniel C. Roper, wife of the Secretary of Commerce.

Senator and Mrs. William E. Borah have as their guest in their apartment, at 2101 Connecticut avenue, Miss Bessie Falk, of Boise, Idaho.

Senator Wallace White, jr., was joined yesterday by Mrs. White, who has been visiting her home in Maine for a short stay.

Mrs. Chester C. Bolton, wife of Representative Bolton, has gone to Florida to spend the spring vacation with her sons, Mr. Charles Bingham Bolton, Mr. Kenyon C. Bolton and Mr. Oliver P. Bolton.

Stimsons Are Hosts To Andover Dean.

The former Secretary of State and Mrs. Henry L. Stimson have as their guest at Woodley, Dr. Claude Fuess, dean of Phillips Academy, at Andover, Mass. Mr. Stimson is a graduate of the school and is head of the board of trustees.

Miss Ann Gaynor, of Sioux City, Iowa, who is a student at Russell Sage College, Troy, N. Y., has arrived to spend her spring vacation with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Sieford Stellwagen, in Washington.

Mrs. Carlos del Mar will leave today for Erie, Pa., where she has been called by the illness of a relative. Mr. and Mrs. del Mar have canceled the dinner they were to have given on Friday evening in honor of Col. and Mrs. M. Robert Guggenheim.

Mr. and Mrs. Giddings Howd, of Englewood, N. J., are spending a few days in Washington, stopping at the Wardman Park Hotel during their stay.

Dr. and Mrs. A. Lambert Cone with Mr. Ross B. Cone, Mr. Eric Roger Cone and Dr. Alfred I. Cone, have come here from their home in New York City for a spring visit, and during their sojourn they are occupying a suite at the Wardman Park Hotel.

Capt. Evans and Family Arrive From Hawaii.

Capt. Joseph S. Evans, U. S. N., has arrived in Washington with his family from Pearl Harbor, Territory of Hawaii, and will spend some time at the Martinique.

Mrs. Conrad Becker is spending some time at the Marlborough Blenheim in Atlantic City, and will have with her for the next two weeks, Mrs. Norman Underwood and Miss Anne Underwood.

Capt. and Mrs. Joseph C. Goss, of Detroit, Mich., are guests at the Raleigh Hotel.

Miss Mae McElligat and Miss Mary Nesbit are spending some time at the Martha Washington Hotel, Miami Beach, Fla.

Mr. and Mrs. Wheeler McDougal, of this city, have moved to the Wardman Park Hotel, where they have taken an apartment and will make their home during the present season.

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Coplin, who recently came here from Los Angeles, Calif., to make their home, have visiting them at the Wardman Park Hotel Mr. Joseph Wolfe, of Los Angeles, who arrived here over the week-end.

Mrs. Frank C. Letts Visiting New York.

Mrs. Frank C. Letts, mother of Senora de Espil, wife of the Ambassador of Argentina, is spending some time in New York. Mrs. Letts did not open her Washington residence this winter, but has remained in Chicago. She is planning a visit to the Capital later in the spring.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Hastings, who make their home at the Wardman Park Hotel, have had Mr. and Mrs. F. Luis Mora, of New York City, visiting them there for a day or two.

Mrs. Edward Robbins, who has spent the last several months in Florida, has returned to her home at 2029 Massachusetts avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. R. V. deAboim, of Rio de Janeiro, are spending several days in Washington. They are at the Martinique.

Mr. Cleveland, Mrs. Ammidown Wed in Rye, N. Y.

Bride Is Daughter of Vice Consul for U. S. at Biarritz.

Mrs. Suzanne Park Ammidown, of Greenwich, Conn., daughter of the American vice consul at Biarritz, Col. Sam Park, and Mrs. Park, was married Friday afternoon at the home of a justice of the peace in Rye, N. Y., to Mr. Clement Cleveland 3d, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clement Cleveland, jr., of Greenwich. The bride was unattended. The bridegroom's father was best man and a younger brother, Mr. Donald Lee Cleveland, was a witness. News of the marriage will come as a surprise to all but the families and a few intimate friends, as no announcement of the engagement was made.

Mr. and Mrs. Cleveland sailed for Bermuda, where they will join Mr. Cleveland's mother, who has been passing the late winter there. On their return they will reside in Greenwich.

The bride was educated at Lakewood, N. J., the Holton Arms, Washington, and Princess Merstcherkey's School in Paris. Her marriage to Mr. H. Philip Ammidown, architect, of New York, which took place in April, 1931, was terminated by divorce in January, 1933. Mr. Ammidown married Miss Beatrice Hudson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest R. Hudson, of New York, on December 24 last at Harrison, N. Y. Col. Park, lumberman and banker, received his appointment at Biarritz in 1920, and in recent years the family has passed the greater part of their time in France.

Mr. Cleveland is a grandson of the late Dr. Clement Cleveland, of New York, a noted surgeon, and is a nephew of Mrs. Robert G. Mead. He was graduated from the Lawrenceville School, and is a member of the Field Club, of Greenwich. He is associated with his father in the real estate firm of Banks & Cleveland, Inc., Greenwich.

Congressional Club To Meet Wednesday

On Wednesday, at 12:30 o'clock the Seventy-third Congressional Club will hold a luncheon at the Shoreham Hotel. The guest of honor is to be Mrs. Alice Roosevelt Longworth. The guest artist is to be Mrs. Marie Diehl, soprano, who will give a group of songs accompanied by Mrs. Elsie Weaver. The chairman of the committee on arrangements is Mrs. W. D. Thomas, of New York.

The wives of the new members of the Seventy-fourth Congress will meet for luncheon, program and cards at the Parrot Tea Room on Wednesday.

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First Lady Attends Concert on April 10

Miss Sonia Troyano to Sing at Benefit.

Mrs. Roosevelt will attend the concert to be given the evening of April 10 at the Mayflower Hotel under auspices of the Washington Unit of the Women's Overseas League.

The artist of the performance will be Miss Sonia Troyano, brilliant young American lyric soprano, whose debut in Washington was made last spring at a concert at the Women's Democratic Club.

Despite her youth Miss Troyano has a reputation in radio and concert work. Her favorite program, a costume recital in old Mexican and Spanish folk songs, will be given when she sings here next month for the Women's Overseas League.

Proceeds will go toward the work the league carries on in Washington and elsewhere for disabled overseas women and former service men.

Miss Helen J. Neville is chairman of the concert committee and Miss Katherine T. Andrews is president of the local unit.

Mrs. Meyer to Speak On Annual Art Show

Mrs. Eugene Meyer will be the guest of honor at a special dinner at the Arts Club of Washington this evening, and Miss Leila Mechlin and Mr. C. Law Watkins will be hosts. Mrs. Meyer will address the club on the Greater Washington Annual Independent Art Exhibit. Representatives from the Washington Federation of Women's Clubs also will speak on the exhibit.

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Elizabeth B. Hall Engaged to Marry

Army Girl to Become Bride of Bennett Lewis.

Lieut. Col. and Mrs. Theodore Hall have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Elisabeth Beamish Hall, to Mr. Bennett Lewis, son of Mrs. S. P. Lewis, of New York City.

Miss Hall, a child of the Army, has lived in many parts of the world, attending school at the Punahou Academy in Honolulu, and since she has been in Washington she has taken a three-year course at George Washington University.

Mr. Lewis attended Columbia University and is at present with the Federal Housing Administration.

No date has been set for the wedding.

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Modern Facial Starts at Toes, Includes Eyes

Pioneering Treatments in Beauty Culture Make Bow Here.

By Ruth Anne Davis

HAVE YOU ever had a facial that started with the tips of your toes? A facial that peps up your circulation, gives a glow to your skin as well as your spirits?

If you haven't, then you should waste no time about consulting a young woman who has one of the most interesting beauty salons in Washington. She has made a study of beauty treatments for years and worked with several outstanding cosmeticians. But all the time she was formulating her own theories and just waiting until she could put them into practice.

Her theories are practical, and you can see from the results they are sound. Already they have proved so successful that many skin specialists are applauding her efforts. One very well-known dermatologist in New York so heartily indorses her treatments that he has given her the privilege of using some of his own preparations in her salons here. Hitherto, these were available only to patients directly under his care.

Her specialty is chasing away blackheads. And she really knows how to do it! She uses (among many other things) a certain cream made by this New York specialist, which literally melts the impurities out of your skin.

When she gives you a treatment she doesn't pretend to follow any set routine. She studies your skin and then proceeds to do what she knows is best for it.

In any event she'll start with your toes, massage your feet and legs with a special cream. By this time you're drowzing away on one of her comfortable white pigskin lounges and in your mind floating high in the heavens on a soft billowy cloud. By the time you're down to earth again your face has been cleansed, stimulated, massaged with a rich nourishing cream. Now it's submerged under a mask of cool cotton saturated with a refreshing skin tonic.

There's nothing like this facial to make you feel half your age, and look less.

And as though this wasn't enough, she gives you such a make-up as you've never had before. You see, she's a make-up artist and understands just what fine shading can do to make your nose shorter, or your eyes larger.

By the way, if you aren't quite ready for a facial yet and would simply like to consult her about your skin problems, she will be glad to give you a complimentary half-hour treatment showing you what cosmetics to use and how to apply them.

Dressing Robes, $1.95.

If a woman wants to bring her husband a nice little surprise and pay only $1.95 for it she should take time out to see the attractive summer dressing robes featured in a downtown store. These are suitable for the beach, and also ideal for the locker, but because they're light, and cool, and easily washable they make excellent lounging robes too.

They come in green, blue, black and red checks and stripes. You'll find they are neat looking, beautifully tailored and excellent values.

Boon to Housewives.

With spring house cleaning already under way in many homes and soon to start in others you should be interested in a certain combination cleanser-polish which makes work just half as difficult. You can use it to clean and polish pianos, tile walls and floors, automobiles, leather goods, shoes, and gloves—in fact just about anything.

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Call Ruth Anne Davis, of The Washington Post, National 4200, Extension 305, for further information, or write, inclosing stamped, addressed envelope.

Easter Egg Vanities.

Paris (AP).—Golden Easter egg vanity cases are something new for powdering fashionable noses. Schiaparelli has launched them in a new composition covered with a golden lacquer and suspended from a strap which hangs from the wrist. They are about 4 inches long and open in halves to reveal the beauty equipment inside.

Strictly Speaking

Pronounce These:

1. Arpeggio.
2. Enginery.
3. Gaucherie.
4. Minaret.
5. Odious.

Check Here.

1. Ahr-PEJ-o.
2. EN-jin-ry, not EN-jin-er-y.
3. Gosh-REE (the "o" is long as in "so").
4. MIN-a-ret, not min-a-RET.
5. O-di-us, not O-jus (the "o" is as in "so").

Gleanings from Current Verse

Selected by Hope Ridings Miller.

Time.

TIME IS NO bird whose flight is never done,
Time is the mountain country of a King—
It is eternity but slumbering . . .
Across its solitudes the seasons run
Like frightened hares, but only stir the dust;
Cyclones and whirlwinds pass and touch it not,
Wars rage, and terrible earthquakes are forgot;
The stars go out, their beauty burned to rust.

Careless of shadows we call night and day,
Time does not move to methods new or old.
Neither can we snare it in a cage of gold
And hear it tick, tick, tick . . . itself away.
Life, venturing upward on some cloudy quest,
Is broken on that infinite, quiet breast.

JOHN RICHARD MORELAND.

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From THE CHRISTIAN CENTURY

Rendez-Vous.

IF I COULD bend beneath the rain
As lovely as a leaf,
For beauty's sake I'd seek again
A rendez-vous with grief.

MARGUERITE McALMAN.

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From EXPRESSION

Voices.

ALL ELSE shall die; voices alone live on.
The midnight surge of ocean falls away
And sinks to lonely stillness while the dawn
Is heralding the fair and quiet day.

Voices alone live on; all else shall die.
The hugest armament—its banners furled,
Its vast and murder-belching guns shall lie
And rot as carrion strewn about the world.

Voices alone, or low, or high in song,
Alert in human brain or poet's page,
Shall challenge death and all his serried throng,
In everlasting youth, in deathless age.

Here the firm earth our hope must stand upon
(All else shall die)—voices live on and on.

HOMER C. HOUSE.

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From WINGS. Dr. House is head of the department of English, University of Maryland.

Wild Bird.

THE HAWK climbed up into a harder air.
His ranging eye
taught him the place to strike that he might live
though others die.

He sought security within the storm
and asked no more
than on a driven wind to fight and turn
and die as other hawks had died before.

SUSANNA VALENTINE MITCHELL.

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From SMOKE, a magazine of poetry published in Providence, R. I. Miss Mitchell is a granddaughter of S. Weir Mitchell. The winter issue of SMOKE, of which she is editor, was devoted exclusively to her poems which were recently published by Farrar V. Rinehart in a volume entitled "JOURNEY TAKEN BY A WOMAN."

These I Have Loved.

I HAVE loved leafy silence of the wood—
The first shy flowers of the early spring;
Old fields that dreamed in reminiscent mood
Of days of planting and of harvesting.

I keep the image of a river's blue
Enchanting length—its clean and pebbly shore;
Tall, somber cliffs that looked as if they knew
The meaning of earth's mysteries and lore.

And I have loved a lonely road that led
To haunts re-echoing notes of whippoorwill,
The fragrance that old-fashioned roses shed,
And sheep that grazed upon a cool, green hill.

MARGARET E. BRUNER.

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From KALEIDOGRAPH.

Perished Tokens.

PALE EVENING trails her gown of misty gray,
Night spreads her stars, and all her subtle snares,
To light the dim brief moments of her stay;
So darkens love when one no longer cares.
Forgetting is to know how love be trays
However tender she may be or true.
Upon the burnished hills of time decays
A granite faith that once was pledged to you.
Now blows, along the dark and vanished stream,
The wind of time, the memories of years:
A starlit night, a shaded spot in dream,
A withered rose, once wet with bitter tears.
Nor whispered token why Love's shadow fell
Too far to hear me now, or ever tell.

PEPITA CROUNSE.

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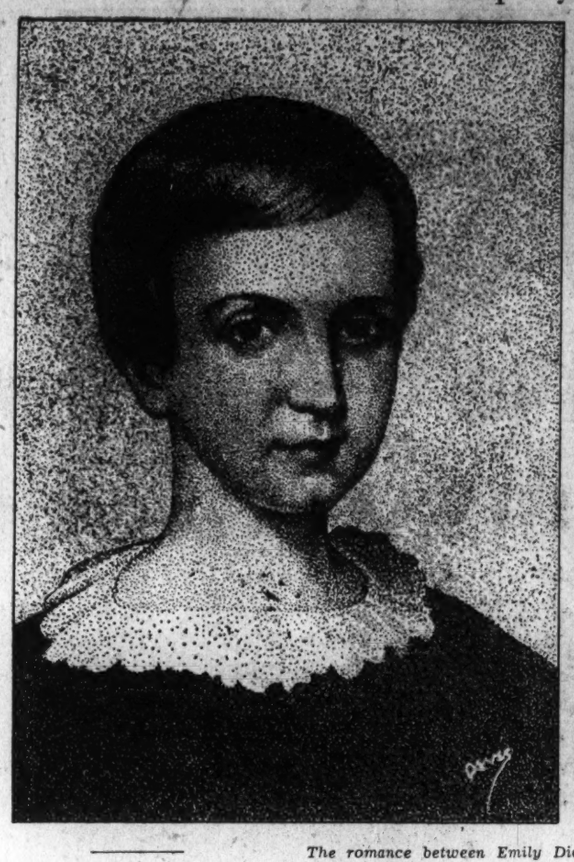
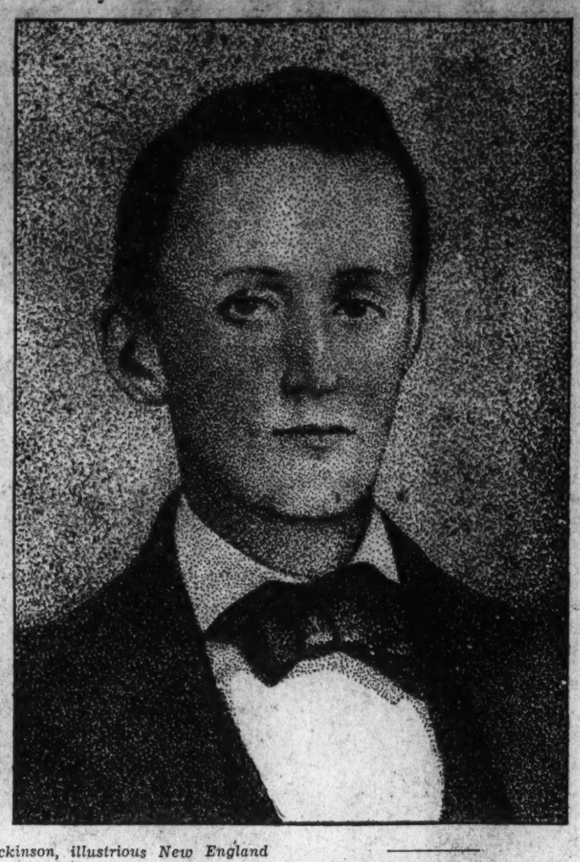
From VERSECRAFT.

Half-Forgotten Romances of American History

Leonard Humphrey—Emily Dickinson.





The romance between Emily Dickinson, illustrious New England poet, and Leonard Humphrey, her tutor, was a thing of the spirit; a platonic fellowship welded through mutual interest in letters and poetry. Despite the fact that Humphrey was said to have "an understanding" with another young lady, commentators believe a more tangible love might have developed had it not been for Humphrey's untimely death at the age of 27.

Emily Dickinson Came From Puritan Line; Books and Flowers Her Loves.

By Elisabeth Ellicott Poe.

THERE IS A QUAINT red brick house in Amherst, Massachusetts, hard by the classic precincts of the college which gave a President to the United States in the person of Calvin Coolidge, that was once the abode of a poet—Emily Dickinson. It was a substantial New England mansion ample of lines but reserved of ornamentation and indicative of the sterling qualities of the Puritan family that lived therein.

For Emily Dickinson, the poet, was the product of seven generations of Puritan Dickinsons in the Americas, the last four of which had lived in Amherst.

She was the daughter of Emily Norcross and Edward Dickinson, a Yale graduate, a lawyer, Congressman and then for many years treasurer of Amherst College. Little Emily was brought up in a scholastic atmosphere.

Shy, introspective, love as such had little real place in her life. Perhaps the strongest affection she ever experienced was the platonic fellowship she maintained with a certain Leonard Humphrey, her tutor and the guardian of her literary life, and researches through the most impressionable years of her career. The romance between them was a thing of the spirit and mutual interests in letters and poetry. It never developed, perhaps, into romance, in the strict meaning of the word. Indeed, it is said that Humphrey had an understanding with another young lady of Amherst during most of the time in which he knew Emily Dickinson.

But if one studies carefully the record of their association together there is no doubt that they were bound by unusual ties and but for his untimely death at the age of 27 real romance in the ordinary sense of the word might have developed.

Leonard Humphrey, when a student at Amherst, was one of a group of poetry enthusiasts that formed an intellectual clique, so to speak, among the undergraduates. Emily had been attracted to him when he spoke as president of his class in glowing terms of the supremacy of the intellect and for intellectual freedom. Perhaps she had known of him before, for like hers his was a frail nature and he had to wage an unending fight against illness. This tendency had deepened his interest in his books.

Emily became his pupil after his graduation. With infinite skill, he opened the windows of her soul to horizons beyond the narrow confines of a New England college town.

If legend is to be trusted, it was Leonard Humphrey who first aroused Emily Dickinson to the knowledge that she had in her the makings of a poet. This is most probable and it is also possible that to him were shown her first attempts in writing verse. Of this feature of their relationship, Miss Josephine Pollitt, the author of "Emily Dickinson" (Harper Brothers, New York), has written in an illuminating vein:

"One day, under circumstances of which we have no dated record, he (Humphrey) told Emily Dickinson that she had in her the making of a poet.

One can imagine very easily that Emily's devotion to her tutor deepened with the new vista of achievement he had opened before her eyes.

Was it love that Emily felt for her tutor, the love of a maid for a man? There is no testimony to that effect either in her writings or the record. It may have existed, unknown to herself. Certain it is that when in November of 1850 the word came from Weymouth, Mass., where Leonard had gone to spend Thanksgiving with his father that he had died there suddenly—of a brain congestion—in his twenty-seventh year, Emily's whole world seemed shattered for a time. We have pathetic testimony to this effect in a letter she wrote a month later to a girl intimate friend.

"I write tonight," she set down, "because it is cool and quiet and I can forget the toil and care of the feverish day and because I am feeling lonely. Some of my friends are gone, and some of my friends are sleeping—sleeping the churchyard sleep—the hour of evening is sad—it was once my study hour—my master has gone to rest, and the open leaf of the book, and the scholar at home alone, make the tears come, and I can not brush them away; I would not if I could, for they are the only tribute I can pay the departed Humphrey. You have stood by the grave before; I have walked there sweet summer evenings and read the names on the stones and wondered who would come and give me the same memorial; but I never have laid my friends there, and forgot that they too must die; this is my first affliction and indeed 'tis hard to bear it . . . When the unreconciled spirit has nothing left but God, that spirit is lone indeed. I don't think there will be any sunshine, or any singing birds in the spring that is coming . . . I wish I were somebody else—I would pray the prayer of the 'Pharisee' but I am only a poor little 'publican.' 'Son of David,' look down on me! . . ."

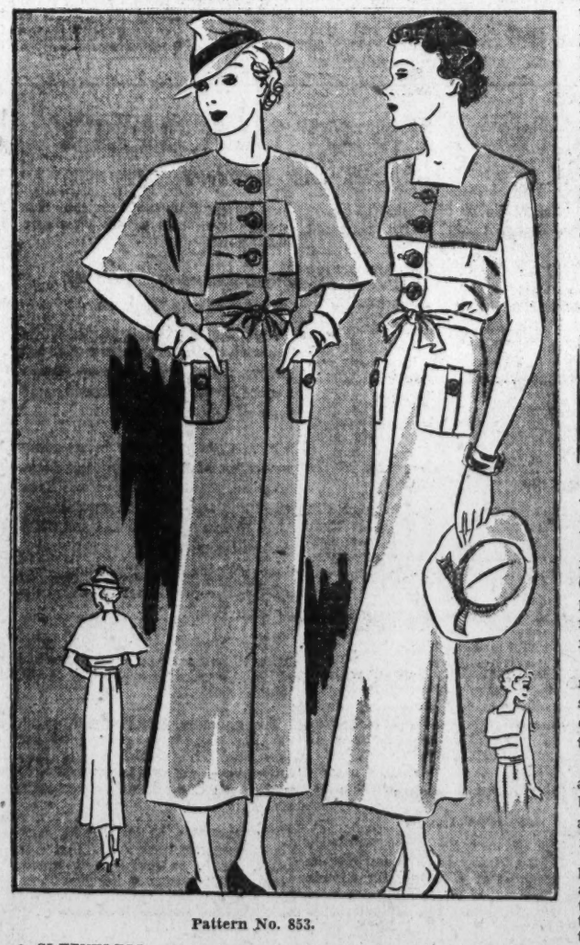
From that loss Emily's retirement from the world grew more pronounced and the love of solitude developed to an astonishing degree. Little by little as the years went on she withdrew from the life of the village until she became almost inaccessible except to the family and a few friends. Her chosen pursuits were the cultivation of her flowers and writing the poems that were her means of self-expression and which literature treasures as real poetry—a rara avis in the world of writing.

Emily Dickinson died in Amherst, May 16, 1886, and she now sleeps in the cemetery through which she used to walk and wonder about those under the tombstones. She never married, as the world knows, and she never forgot Leonard Humphrey, there is ample evidence of that fact. It may be that it was of him she was thinking when she wrote these lines:

"The sweeping up the heart,
And putting love away
We shall not want to use again
Until eternity."

Platonic Friendship, Not a Real Romance, Inspired Poetry.

Cape Adds to Distinctiveness Of This Sleeveless Sport Dress



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A SLEEVELESS sports dress of distinction is a find. Add to it a cape that makes it twice as useful, and it's little short of a treasure. This pattern includes a dress that is simple, easy to wear, but really interesting, and a little cape that makes it suitable for town wear.

The choice of fabric depends upon how one plans to use the dress. A dark linen would make it equally useful for sports or town. The pattern is cut in sizes 12 to 20, 30 to 38. Size 16 (34) requires 3 1-3 yards of 35-inch material for both dress and cape.

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How to Keep Well

By Dr. Irving S. Cutter.

Tuberculosis and Rest.

TUBERCULOSIS is curable; in fact, it is the most curable of all our chronic diseases. Years ago we thought of tuberculosis as a sentence of death. Today the picture has entirely changed and we regard the disease as an unfortunate occurrence but with a hopeful outlook. There is just one rule that will insure recovery and that is: "Go to bed and stay there." Rest and food constitute the open sesame to the restoration of health.

We may well ask, "What is meant by rest?". Does it mean lying down most of the time; wandering about the room at will when one gets tired of the reclining posture; going to the bathroom, and sitting up for meals? Not at all. It means just what it says—absolute rest in bed for 24 hours of each day. Only when recovery is well along may permission be given to visit the bathroom. Rest means not only inactive muscles, but a slowing down of the heart action and of respiration. When we are active we breathe more times per minute, more blood is pumped through the circulation, and hence we increase our fuel (food) needs. Rest for the tuberculous patient means complete relaxation of muscles with so little activity that good food is utilized in piling up body reserves needed in neutralizing the toxemia produced by the disease.

In many instances the presence of the disease is detected before both lungs become involved. If the left lung is diseased, lying on the left side for a good part of the time will give that lung more rest and thus promote healing.

Fatigue is the opposite of rest, and anything that tires the patient defeats the objective. Sometimes talking, visiting, reading or writing letters will prove tiresome.

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This BUSINESS of LIVING

19-Year-Old Girl Seeks Place as "Mother's Helper" in Congenial Home.

My Mary Haworth.

DEAR MISS HAWORTH: I hate to bother you with my problem but I think you could help me more than anyone else.

I am a girl 19 years of age. I have been in Washington for the past six months. I am taking a business course and I pay for my room and board by working in a home after school hours. I am from the country and I feel the people here different from the folks out in the country and I can't get used to it.

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I would be so happy to live with someone who could be more like a father and mother to me; someone to whom I could go for advice. I would like to be with people who are refined, cultured and appreciate the finer things of life. I would do all in my power to repay anyone who could offer me these surroundings.

DISSATISFIED.

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Readers May Help.

DEAR DISSATISFIED: I would like to justify your belief that I can help you more than anyone else; and I assure you any efforts in that direction would never be considered a "bother."

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I have learned that column readers, in cases of this kind, often provide a satisfactory solution to problems of deserving persons. No doubt there are in Washington dozens of families of the kind you are seeking, who, if they knew your circumstances, would be glad to effect the fair exchange of board, room, and protective affection, for the mother's helper services of a 19-year-old girl.

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Perhaps we shall hear from readers to that effect. If so, I shall be glad to effect a mutual contact.

M. H.

Miss Haworth will be glad to help you in solving your problems. Write her in care of The Post Woman's Page.

What Today Means

"Aries."

IF MARCH 25 is your birthday, the best hours for you on this date are from 9:30 to 11:30 a. m., from 2:30 to 4:30 p. m. and from 6:30 to 8:30 p. m. The danger periods are from 7:30 to 9:30 a. m., from 11:30 a. m. to 1:30 p. m. and from 8:30 to 10:30 p. m.

Your nerves on this date will react to the thoughts you entertain, so think straight. Courage and coolness combined will overcome the greatest of difficulties.

Any form of speculation, bearing all the earmarks of being a gamble, should be avoided, unless you are in a position to sustain a loss if your expectations went awry.

If a woman, and March 25 is your birthday, you are almost too courageous, for you probably love to take chances, just simply to enjoy the thrill that usually comes through recklessness. Your loyalty, as well as devotion to family and friends, will bring its own reward, providing you refrain from ever regarding love as a game. To be successful in business it will be necessary for any feeling of restlessness to be suppressed.

Work of an outside nature such as soliciting insurance, real estate, advertising, or acting as an investigator, should prove both interesting as well as lucrative. Too early a marriage is not always a wise one, for women born on this date, but those made, after the spirit of adventure has been satisfied, are, as a rule, very successful.

If a man, and March 25 is your natal day, you have an independent spirit, as well as a pioneering instinct. If you start something, you wish to finish it without interference. The sea is likely to have a strong appeal for you. Army life, science, or the legal profession, are excellent pursuits from which to select a career.

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Culbertson On Bridge

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Tonight.

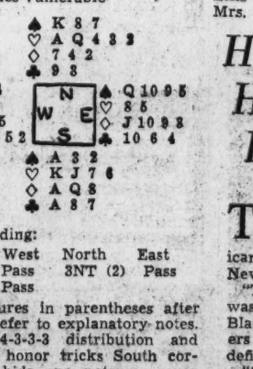
The much-heralded contract bridge match starts tonight at the Crockfords Club between Mr. and Mrs. Hal Sims paired against Mrs. Culbertson and myself. For 21 days the battle of bridge bids will go on, and within that time we must play 150 rubbers before the winners may be determined.

This gruelling contest, comprising more than 1,000 hands of bridge, will require a mixture of skill and stamina in about equal parts. A tired body does not make for mental agility, and our bridge playing ability will be needed every moment. Physically, I feel very fit, and I shall enter the arena prepared to do my best and enjoy it. With Mrs. Culbertson, my favorite bridge partner, sitting across from me, I expect to win.

Opening One Notrump.

The new 1935 Culbertson System, by means of which I expect to show Mr. Sims the error of his ways, includes many new and improved ideas of scientific bidding. Among the most important of these is that affecting the original bid of one notrump, which is now more sharply defined and limited to its proper field—the 4-3-3-3 distribution. Today's hand demonstrates how this simplifies the problems of both the original bidder and the responding player.

South, Dealer
Both sides vulnerable



The bidding:

South	West	North	East
1NT (1)	Pass	3NT (2)	Pass
Pass	Pass		

The figures in parentheses after the bids refer to explanatory notes.

1—With 4-3-3-3 distribution and 4 plus honor tricks South correctly bids one notrump, even though the heart suit is biddable.

2—North counts partner for a 4-3-3-3 distribution; and with balanced distribution himself knows there is no advantage to be gained by playing the hand at hearts.

This hand was played in a recent duplicate game and most teams contracted for game at hearts, either because South opened with one heart or because North responded to South's notrump with three hearts.

It may readily be seen that North-South have nine top tricks at notrump; whereas four hearts can not be made whether played by North or South.

The beauty of the announcement of 4-3-3-3 distribution by the original bid of one notrump is that it immediately enables the responding hand to determine whether the best possibility of game lies at suit or notrump play. Thus, with today's hand North knew that even though South held four clubs no ruffing tricks could be gained without using up long cards in the trump suit which would be equally valuable as trick-winners at notrump.

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Tea Scheduled By City Club's Life Members

Annual Reception Takes Place at Clubhouse This Afternoon.

THE ANNUAL TEA of the life members of the Women's City Club will be given from 4:30 to 6 o'clock today at the clubhouse on Jackson place.

Judge Mary O'Toole, Mrs. Lynan B. Swormstedt, Dr. A. Frances Fye, Dean Grace Hays Riley, Mrs. Merritt O. Chance, Mrs. William L. Corbin and Miss Alice M. Heaven, past presidents, will receive with Mrs. John S. Bennett, the president.

Miss Adela L. Heaven, Mrs. Cary T. Grayson, Miss Janet Richards, Miss Ethel Bagley, Mrs. Francis D. Merchant, Miss Jessie Dell, Mrs. William W. Spaid, Mrs. Marie Moore Forrest, Mrs. Gertrude Lyons, Miss Martha E. Armistead, Mrs. Milton W. King, Miss Elaine Eppley, Miss Caroline V. Sudler and Miss Ruby Nevins will assist and alternate at the tea tables.

Other life members attending include Mrs. Anna Farrar, Mrs. Bertha T. Voorhurst, Mrs. Laura Bradley, Mrs. H. K. Fulton, Miss Mae R. Murray, Mrs. Ada Mills Payne, Miss Mabel E. Wheelock, Mrs. Jessie G. Hover, Miss Etta H. Austin, Mrs. I. B. Dodson, Mrs. Sears, Mrs. Elma R. Saul, Mrs. A. B. Stewart, Miss Margaret Bayly, Miss Loretta V. Barnes, Mrs. Caroline B. Stephen, Miss E. A. Hayden, Miss E. K. Vail, Miss Flora L. P. Johnson, Mrs. Frank G. Stewart, Miss Lula Purcell, Miss Sarah K. Cushing, Mrs. C. C. Gray, Miss Margaret L. Vail, Mrs. W. B. Rogers, Mrs. L. E. Turley, Dr. Josephine Baird and Mrs. D. Hugh Mathews.

Vermont Alumni Dinner.

The University of Vermont Alumni Association of Washington will hold its annual dinner April 3 at the Kennedy-Warren.

Honor guests will include Prof. Frederick Tupper, who will represent the faculty of the university, and H. B. Oatley, president of the University Alumni Council. Senator Warren R. Austin, of Vermont, is president of the local alumni association.

L. J. Peet, of the Valley Vista Apartments, is chairman of the dinner committee.

G. O. P. Club Card Party.

The National Capital Republican Club will give a card party this afternoon and evening at its clubhouse, Sixteenth street and Scott circle.

Among those on the entertainment committee are Miss Edna M. Patton, chairman; Mrs. G. Louis Weller, Mrs. Frank W. Mondell, Miss Daisy Prentice, Mrs. Charles J. Williamson and Mrs. Frisbey G. Eiker.

The "Reporter Plan" group of the Women's Democratic Educational Council will meet at 8:30 o'clock tonight. Mrs. S. E. Crosby, 404 A street southeast will be the hostess.

"The Federal Emergency Relief Administration" will be discussed by Mrs. Belva Cuzzart.

Author to Address Republican Women

League to Hear Talk on Short-Story Writing.

Mr. Lewis Lofton Moneyway, prominent member of the Arts Club, and short-story writer, will speak before the League of Republican Women at Sixteenth and Scott Circle Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock. His subject will be "A Forty Minute Course in Short Story Writing." Mr. Moneyway will be introduced by Mrs. William Fitch Kelley, president of the league.

Tea will be served following the talk when those presiding at the tea table will be Mrs. Victor Kauffmann, Mrs. Frances Wigman, Mrs. Ellis A. Yost, Mrs. Carl Lomen and Mrs. Enoch Chase.

Home Called Haven of Ego By Mrs. Blair

THE HOME is playing a new role in life, women leaders decided at the recent American Home Conference held in New York.

"The sanctuary of the ego," was the way Mrs. Emily Newell Blair, chairman of the Consumers Advisory Board of the NRA, defined the modern home.

"Our civilization is in a ticklish place," Mrs. Blair said. "Its touch and go. What we must have if civilization is to survive is the satisfaction and self-respect of the human being. The home is no longer the only place that provides food, shelter and clothing. It exists today because it is the only place that can supply certain things to the individual—stimulation of the ego, a sense of importance and an outlet for the emotions. It is the sanctuary of the ego."

Family life is improving under the modernization of the home, Dr. Helen Judy-Bond, associate professor of household arts at Teachers College, Columbia University, said. Mechanical devices, she said, provided more opportunity for the development of wholesome family activities.

That the modern home should be run as a republic was the contention of Mrs. William Dick Sporborg, former president of the federation. She said the old conception of the home as a monarchy did not give due consideration to each individual's needs.

Hollywood

By Sidney Skolsky

Stories About the Pictures You're Seeing

Hollywood, March 22.

"HER WEDDING NIGHT." This was one of the fastest produced flickers ever turned out by Sam Goldwyn; certainly it was the quickest of the cycle of Anna Sten pictures. Compared to the other two Sten flickers, it was made in practically no time. "Her Wedding Night" took six weeks of shooting. Then a sneak review. Then back to the studio for another week of shooting for what is now termed added scenes.

The original title of the story was "Broken Soil." Gary Cooper was under contract to Goldwyn to play in "Barbary Coast." That scenario was being rewritten and postponed and rewritten and postponed and it was decided to put Cooper in as Sten's leading man, thus fulfilling his contract obligations to Goldwyn. King Vidor, a typical American director, was assigned to Miss Sten's third American flicker to give her a native flavor. Miss Sten was less temperamental than usual. King Vidor was merely amused by her.

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Anna Sten not only didn't wish visitors to come on the set but she even seemed a little fearful of permitting the stagehands and electricians to watch her. Often she would play a scene and have that portion of the set blocked off from the rest of the stage by screens.

The first day of shooting Miss Sten startled her director and her leading man. She was supposed to play a love scene with Gary Cooper and refused to do so. "I can't play a love scene with him," said Miss Sten. "At least not for a week or so. I must know him better. I can't play a love scene until I am intimate with the actor."

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"NAUGHTY MARIETTA." The first full length musical to be directed by Hollywood's favorite director of the season, W. S. Van Dyke. The other time Van Dyke dabbled in music was during those early days of musicals when he directed "Cuban Love Song."

Nelson Eddy was loitering about the Metro workshop for about a year before he was given his big opportunity in this picture. Previously, Mr. Eddy appeared before the Metro camera for a brief flash in "Student Tour."

Miss MacDonald and Mr. Eddy proved to be a good combination on the set as well as on the screen. They were very friendly and spoke to each other and praised each other. This was something that Miss MacDonald and Maurice Chevalier didn't do when they last appeared together.

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The picture was three months in the making and Director Van Dyke had his customary good time while working. He called Miss MacDonald "honey," got what he wanted in the way of a performance and once threw a party for the casquette gals in the flicker. He kept them out until about 4 in the morning, regardless of the fact that he also had them on call for work at 8 that morning. Later, these gals then threw a party for Van Dyke at the Trocadero. He was the only male present—which he didn't mind—and regardless of what he ordered he was served hot beans.

With the success of "Naughty Marietta," Hollywood has discovered Victor Herbert. Paramount recently purchased the rights to all the Victor Herbert music not owned by other studios and will do a picture based on the career of this foremost musician.

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"THE LITTLE COLONEL."—Fox ever eager to find a suitable story for its biggest money maker, Shirley Temple, purchased "The Little Colonel," recommended by Producer Buddy De Sylva. The price paid for this one book of the famous series was $30,000—or the price generally paid for the average Broadway stage play. The screen version of this novel was prepared by scenario writer William Counselman, who also does the comic strip, "Ella Cinders."

De Sylva, formerly of that noted trio of De Sylva, Brown and Henderson, worked with Counselman. There wasn't enough to the book to furnish the essentials of a Hollywood script, and De Sylva and Counselman decided to give it show angles. The show angles they gave it were: Shirley Temple doing the famous step dance with Bill Robinson; Shirley dolling up in the old-fashioned gown; the Technicolor sequence.

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The picture was directed by David Butler in 22 shooting days. Butler handled Shirley before—he made "Bright Eyes"—and De Sylva has yet to produce a picture at Fox which Butler didn't direct. When Bill Robinson first appeared at the studio, Stepin Fetchit was very jealous and refused to pose for a picture with Robinson. Robinson and Shirley took to each other. Robinson says that Shirley is one of the best natural dancers he ever met. She knew every step and gesture perfectly.

Producer De Sylva, when he saw Mrs. Temple driving the auto with Shirley in it rather fast, would shout from his studio bungalow: "Slower, slower, you've got my picture in that car!"

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27 Pct. of Taxes Go To Construct Sewers

Special Dispatch to The Post.

Waynesboro, Pa., March 24.—Twenty-seven cents out of every tax dollar collected by the Borough of Waynesboro in 1934 went toward financing the sewer construction here, Borough Manger A. Stover Fitz revealed. Labor is furnished by the Emergency Relief Administration.

Seven more cents went toward construction of the sewage disposal plant, while other portions of the dollar were represented as follows: Street lighting, 9 cents; fire protection, 6 cents; police protection, 7 cents; office expense, 7 cents; interest on bonds and loans, 12 cents; bond retirement, 8 cents; street building, .04 of a cent.

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18TH ST. NW., 2443, near Col. rd.—Large front room; twin beds; newly decorated; c. h. w.; next to bath.	"Rented the room after one insertion. Highly pleased with the results I obtained."
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WILL SUBLET for 2 months 1 rm., kit., porch and semiprivate bath; downtown. DI. 8010. $30.	"Rented apartment after one insertion. I had many calls."
HAMILTON ST. N.W., 1360—Attractively furn. front room, kit., private bath; detached home, unlim. phone; garage optl.	"Received results the first thing in the morning. For quick action I recommend The Post."
BUNGALOW—3 rms., elec., h.-w. h., garage; $15 monthly. Phone Capitol Heights, 24-F-12.	"Rented the bungalow after three days. I had one hundred calls."
SHERMAN, 1101-15, Apt. 701—Completely furn. bed-living rm.; dressing rm.; large kit.; Frigid., radio, phone, gas, elec.	"Rented the apartment after three days."
CHEVROLET—1932 Landau Phaeton, 6 good tires; perfect mechanical condition; $279; easy terms. Billhimer & Palmer (Ford Dealers), 7 Spencer st., Hyatts., Md. Greenwood 2057.	"Sold after the ad appeared one time."
CHEVROLET—De Luxe Sedan, $270. Perfect condition.	"Sold after one day. Secured results the first thing in the morning."
BUICK—1933 Sedan; repossessed. Auto Sales Corp., 1317 14th St. N.W. North 9080.	"Sold to a Post reader on the coldest day of the year."
BUICK—'34 Sedan; never driven; "left over." Hyattsville Auto & Supply Co., Hyattsville, Md.; GR. 1810.	"Sold the same day the ad was published."
FORD—'33 De Luxe Coach; $335; terms, trade. Billhimer & Palmer (Ford Dealers), 7 Spencer st., Hyattsville, Md.	"Sold after two days to a Post reader."
BRIGHTWOOD—2 young people or couple; excellent meals; $30 ea.; one block to car. Georgia 2797.	"It cost me 68 cents to secure a tenant. Highly pleased with the results I got."
DOWNTOWN, 1125 14TH ST. N.W.—Small, neat room; $3 weekly.	"Rented the same day the ad was published."
P ST. NW., 1765—Dupont Circle. Two rooms, kitchen-dinette; gas, heat, electricity and phone included.	"For speedy results I recommend The Post."

THE ADS	THE COMMENTS
GA. AVE., 4804—1 or 2 warm front rooms for light housekeeping.	"Rented after one day. Results very satisfactory."
N ST. N.W., 1207—Large, clean, neatly furnished rooms; single or double.	"Ordered ad for seven days. Rented the first day."
2501 QUEENS CHAPEL RD. NE.—3 rms., semi-bath; a. m. i. DE. 0261-J.	"Gave order for a week. Cancelled after three insertions. Rented to a Post reader."
DOWNTOWN 1 large room, kitchen, bath.....$30 A. M. COOPER 820 11th st. nw. NAt. 1332	"I use Post Classified Ads on contract. They secure tenants quickly and economically for me."
ARLINGTON, VA.—$25; 4 rooms, basement; city water; electricity, gas; large lot; garden; chicken house. 621 Jefferson st. Watson, Clarendon 396-J-1.	"A four line ad four times in The Post brought me a tenant."
WILLYS-KNIGHT—1928 Coach, new paint, runs good, private owner, excellent buy for $35. SHep. 3309.	"Sold the car the same day the ad was published."
WOOD—Dry oak or pine, $7.50 per cord. Call GReenwood 2205, night or day.	"Ordered a 'For Sale' ad for seven days. Received so many orders had to cancel ad to catch up on deliveries."
WANTED—Gentleman roommate; twin beds; nicely furn., warm rm., next bath; $15 mo. Apt. 500, 1514 17th st. nw.	"Secured desirable room-mate for my son after one insertion in The Post."
12TH ST. NW., 1017—Clean, lovely, single or double rooms; very reasonable.	"I rented four rooms in four days through Post Ads."
14TH ST. NW., 1125—Small, neat room; near bath; reasonable; hot-water heat.	"Gave order for seven days. Rented the room the first day the ad appeared."
BRIGHTWOOD COURTS, 5320 8th st. nw. 2 rooms, large kitchen and bath, double exposure, newly decorated; Frigidaire on house current; available Feb. 1; $43.50.	"Rented the apartment after three days."
PETWORTH—BARGAIN—$50 3912 5th st. nw. 8 rooms and bath, semidet.; nice condition. Available Feb. 18. Nat. 3365. WASHINGTON REALTY CO., INC.	"Rented after second insertion. Always get splendid results in The Post."
COLUMBIA RD. NW., 1748—Attrac. front rm.; also large rm. for 2; near bath; reas.	"Rented the second day the ad was published."
P ST. NW., 2012—4 rooms and bath; very reasonable. Call North 9864.	"Rented both rooms after one day's advertising."
EUCLID ST. NW., 1208—Large front room, semiprivate bath; suitable 2 girls; board optional; convenient location.	"Rented after one day's advertising."
EXCEPTIONAL OPENING For experienced salesman to sell new and used Fords; also other popular makes used cars. Here is an opportunity for the right man to get in on the ground floor with a live organization and make real money. It will pay you to investigate our proposition. Call Sunday between 10 a. m.-4 p. m. BILLHIMER & PALMER Ford Dealers 7 Spencer St., Hyattsville, Md.	"Secured two able experienced salesmen after one day's advertising."

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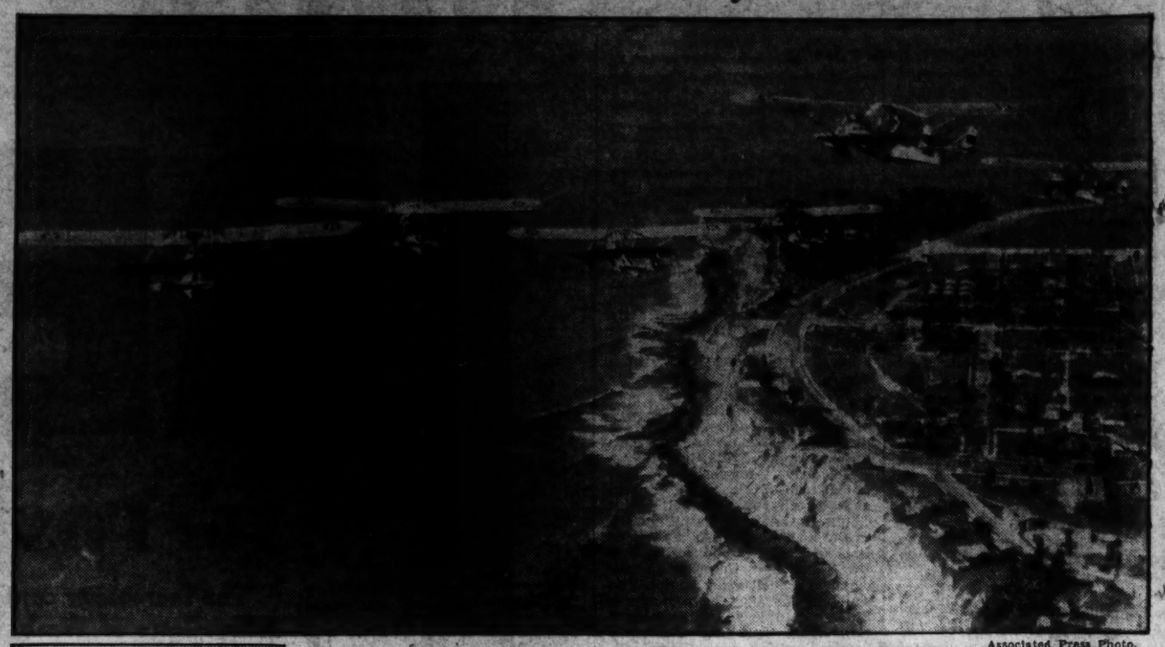
Madame Secretary Speaks; Magnolias Bloom in Capital + **Diplomats at Skeet Shoot** + *Dust Gets in Horse's Eyes; Navy Planes Patrol Pacific*

Post Staff Photo.

SKEET SHOOT DRAWS SOCIETY—Among those attending the competition yesterday at the National Capital Skeet Club near Bethesda, Md., yesterday were (left to right, seated) Mme. Andre de Laboulaye, Ambassador de Laboulaye, Dominque de Leusse, son of the French Attache, and Mme. Mirabaud; (standing) Mlle. Mirabaud and Mlle. Marie Therese de Laboulaye.



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NAVAL PLANES PATROL THE PACIFIC—These fighting ships made a striking display as they soared above the coast, near San Diego, preparing for their part in the important Pacific fleet maneuvers this year. They're the "eyes" of the fleet.

Associated Press WIREPHOTO.

MADAME SECRETARY SPEAKS—Secretary of Labor Francis Perkins, shown as she spoke Saturday at the University of California.

Post Staff Photo.

AMONG THE COMPETITORS—Signor Giuseppe Tommasi, secretary of the Italian Embassy, cleans his rifle before entering in the National Capital skeet shoot in Maryland yesterday.

Associated Press Photo.

BEAUTEOUS POET—Lucille Pinson, former "Miss California," arrived back from Hawaii to discover her first book of poetry was a success.

Post Staff Photo.

"THE BRIDE OF THE INCAS"—A tense moment, at the sacrificial altar, in the play which George Washington University players will give at Roosevelt High auditorium tomorrow. The players are Jennie Garner, Bertha Lockhart, Mary Brooks Haley, Lois Kingsbery and Ed Stevlingson.

Associated Press WIREPHOTO.

HORSES FEEL EFFECTS OF DUST STORM, TOO.—Even the horses need an "air filter" to breathe in the terrific dust storms sweeping Colorado. These farm children at Springfield are tying a towel over the nose of a saddle horse.

Associated Press Photo.

ROYAL COUPLE AT DANCE—The Duke and Duchess of Kent, as they attended a dance during their recent visit at Nassau in the Bahamas.

Associated Press Photo.

BATHING BEAUTIES—OMAHA STYLE—When the warm weather came to Omaha, Nebr., these bright young ladies took off their shoes and stockings and waded in the cool waters of the Sand Pit Lakes.

Post Staff Photo.

'TWAS SPRING—AMONG THE MAGNOLIAS—With most of the Capital seeking the gay outdoors, Geraldine Marie Grumbly yesterday found the magnolia blossoms a thrilling sight.

Associated Press Photo.

BOYS DISCOVER "TREASURE."—Howard Britting, 15, left, and John Carson, 17, both of Ridgefield, N. J., shown looking over the "treasure"—11 bills dating back to Civil War and 300 pennies they found while planting

Associated Press WIREPHOTO.

BOY ADMITS SLAYING HIS FATHER—George Shepherd, 14, left, told police at Kansas City that he shot his father, Hartley Shepherd, 64, through the heart, when he found him choking mother (center). Ruth, 18, boy's sister, was in the home at time.

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WASHINGTON: MONDAY, MARCH 25, 1935

Racing Board Calls Meeting At Charleston

3-Man Commission Will Rigidly Supervise Pari-Mutuels.

36-Day Meeting to Open in Charles Town on May 13.

By Robert H. Horner.
A Special Correspondent.

Charleston, W. Va., March 24. The new three-man state horse-racing commission recently appointed by Governor H. G. Kump to displace the commissioner of agriculture as ex-officio head of the sport, will meet early this week to organize, according to Beverley Broun, of Charleston, who was appointed for a four-year term.

Broun is a lawyer active in sporting and club circles. The other two members are Frank Brooke, farmer, of Charles Town, appointed for a three-year term, and Leslie Combs, 2d, of Hungtington, a native of Lexington, Ky., and grandson of Leslie Combs, who was Minister to Peru under President Taft.

License Increased.

Appointement of the commission was authorized by a law enacted at the recent legislative session. The new law increased the licenses for operating pari-mutuel pools to $500 a day for 1-mile tracks and $250 a day for half-mile tracks, with an additional levy of 1 per cent on earnings of the machines.

At the present time the Charles Town Jockey Club is the only horse-racing organization in the State that operates pari-mutuel machines, though, it is understood, plans are under way to establish tracks at Huntington and Wheeling.

The Charles Town races are scheduled to begin on May 13 and will last for 36 days. They will come under the complete supervision of the new commission.

West Virginia is preparing in a variety of ways to establish proper regulations for its newly liberalized laws, including anything from horse racing to the sale of liquor, which is soon to begin when State stores are opened, and also, the licensed sale, anywhere, of 5 per cent beer.

Control Planned.

Looking ahead to the days when liquor will be sold again in the State after a drought of about 22 years, the Legislature increased by $250,000 its annual appropriation for the State police, which means that the present force of 115 officers and men will be increased to about 215 men. In addition, it is planned to open State police sub-headquarters in every one of the 55 counties.

Superintendent P. D. Shingleton of the State police is planning to open a school for training men for service on the road patrol at Camp Conley, in Mason County. Out of 4,000 applications, Col. Shingleton will select 160 men to enter the school, which is to open May 1, and after two months' training he will select about 100 regulars to go upon his staff.

One of the chief duties of the State police road patrol will be to arrest drunken drivers and subject them to the heavier penalties provided in the new road laws.

Gov. Kump late last week took steps to prod the West Virginia Relief Administration to promote throughout the State the working of gardens by persons now on relief rolls. In a letter to W. N. Beehler, relief administrator, the Governor said that it i "appalling" to see the State and Federal debts piling up because of the funds necessary for relief, and he urged garden work as one means of restoring "self-reliance, self-respect and self-control among us."

"No one, nor any group, is in a better position to impress those personal responsibilities upon our citizens than those who administer relief," the Governor told Mr. Beehler. "It is a call to duty. Every one should strive diligently to be self-supporting."

Almost at once, the relief administration responded by reporting that $50,000 worth of seed was being distributed through the 55 county relief organizations, and that those upon the relief rolls were being impressed with the necessity for working gardens.

Sells Four Cars Through Post Ads

Mr. Jack Costello, used car manager, Tom's Auto Service, 1355 Connecticut avenue, had six used cars to sell. He telephoned six "For Sale" ads to The Post Classified Department, ordering them to be published for two days. He reports the sale of four cars to Post readers and naturally he is highly pleased with the results he obtained.

The pulling power of Post Classified Ads is daily increasing their popularity with business firms and individuals. If you are looking for a new sales outlet why not place your sales message in The Post Classified Columns?

To buy, sell, rent or exchange with ease and economy dial NAtional 4200 and a courteous and trained ad writer will help you prepare a result-producing Classified Ad.

Augusta County 4-H Clubs Win $1,000 for Best Work in South

MISS RUTH JAMISON AND JOSEPH C. COINER.

Ruth Jamison and Joseph Coiner Lead Members to Place With Four Leaders in Nation; Section Now Boasts 33 Organizations.

Special Dispatch to The Post.

Staunton, Va., March 24.—Under the direction of Miss Ruth Jamison, Augusta County home demonstration agent, and Joseph C. Coiner, farm demonstration agent, the work of 527 girls and boys has brought Augusta County distinction in 4-H club work.

Announcement has been made that Augusta County has been given first place in the Southern States in 4-H club work, and honored with being one of the four best in the United States.

Augusta will receive a cash prize of $1,000 in the national 4-H county progress contest. The contest was supervised by the national committee on boys' and girls' club work. Prize money totaling $13,000 was distributed to the various winners by Sears-Roebuck & Co.

There were 22 clubs in this county in 1934, on which the award was based. There are 33 clubs in 1935. Of the members, 417 are girls and 110 are boys.

Principal achievements in club work in 1934 in Augusta County were:

Marie Cupp, of North River, won the Kerr canning contest in Virginia and a trip to Chicago; also first place in the vegetable exhibit at the international canning contest, Chicago.

Helen Thompson, of Middlebrook, won third place in the emergency meal canned foods contest at the international competition in Chicago, while 15 Middlebrook 4-H girls won third place in the international canning contest with their club exhibits, sponsored by the Hazel-Atlas Co. This carried a cash prize of $60.

Elwood Shiflett, of Fishersville, won the Wilson State scholarship of $100 and a trip to the international 4-H congress in Chicago, and was a member of the live stock judging team, along with Earl Shiflett, Churchville, and Kermit Cline and Junior Brown, of Fishersville. This team represented Virginia at the international live stock judging show in Chicago, winning second place in judging hogs, and fifth place in judging cattle.

25 Cumberlanders Drawn on Venire

Jury Panels Are Selected for Circuit Court.

By the Associated Press.

Cumberland, Md., March 24.—Twenty-five Cumberlanders are among the 48 veniremen drawn by Chief Judge D. Lindley Sloan and Associate Judge Albert A. Doub to serve on the grand and petit juries during the next term of circuit court which will open here April 8.

The Cumberland veniremen are Noah Hendley, Charles T. Burton, Charles A. Welsh, Russell Saville, Peter E. Barry, Frank H. Barley, Wesley E. Taylor, Forris A. Triplett, William H. Hay, Charles H. Marks, Joseph H. Nealis, Abraham J. King, Leonard J. Fuller, William C. Collins, Stanley O. H. Knowlton, Cromwell C. Boor, W. Taylor Ross, Arthur E. Menefee, Edward A. Knight, Joseph A. Rice, William H. Lewis, John D. Whaley, Grafton M. Henry, George W. McCracken, sr., and Thomas Smith.

Other veniremen are John W. Wilson, William F. Getson, William F. Loden and Alexander Gardner, all of Lonaconing; Albert H. Macey, Karl H. Butler, Ross G. Fuller, of La Vale; R. Holt Hitchins and John A. Sullivan, of Frostburg; Reuben Lewis and J. Charles Carter, of Eckhart; William A. Meagher, of Cresaptown; Hubert Worgan, of Luke; Clarence M. Clarke, of McCoole; Allan Lewis, of Zihlman; Frank P. Fletcher, of Little Orleans; Austin D. Twigg, jr., of Flintstone; Walter Duncan, of Borden Shaft, Harold B. Bloom, of Corriganville; William J. Jenkins, of Gilmore; George D. Robertson, jr., of Barton; James Patterson, sr., of Mount Savage, and George F. Davis, of Oldtown.

Diffendal Exonerated In Wissinger Death

Special Dispatch to The Post.

Westminster, Md., March 24.—A coroner's jury at Reisterstown, Baltimore County, yesterday absolved Thomas S. Diffendal, Westminster, of blame in the death of Paul Wissinger, Western Maryland College student, who was fatally injured when Diffendal's automobile was wrecked near Reisterstown on March 6.

The coroner's jury held that the accident was unavoidable, and a charge of reckless driving lodged against Diffendal following the accident was dismissed by Judge Robert H. LaPorte.

Staunton Postmaster Submits Resignation

Special Dispatch to The Post.

Staunton, Va., March 24.—Having served as Staunton's Republican postmaster for nearly 12 years, J. J. Kivlighan yesterday mailed to Postmaster General James A. Farley his resignation, "effective at your pleasure."

Mr. Kivlighan was first appointed by President Harding and then reappointed by both President Coolidge and President Hoover. His commission expired February 14, last, but because Democratic leaders have been unable to decide on a nomination for postmaster, he has continued to serve.

Symphony to Play In Charlottesville

Dr. Kindler Will Conduct Concert Wednesday.

Special Dispatch to The Post.

Charlottesville, Va., March 24.—The National Symphony Orchestra of Washington, under the direction of Dr. Hans Kindler, will give a concert here Wednesday night in Cabell Hall at the University of Virginia.

The appearance of the orchestra here is being sponsored by the McIntire concert series which is managed by Mrs. Arthur Fickenscher, wife of Prof. Arthur Fickenscher, of the university's school of music. In a previous visit here last year the Washington musicians accompanied the State chorus of 1,000 voices in the feature presentation of the annual Virginia State Choral Festival.

Horse Show on June 8.

Special Dispatch to The Post.

Salisbury, Md., March 24.—Under joint auspices of the Wicomico Hunt Club and the hospital junior board, the annual horse and hound show will be held on June 8, it was announced yesterday. Catalogues will be sent to fanciers throughout the Eastern Shore within a few days.

Social and Club Notes
Of Towns and Cities in Nearby States

By Elisabeth C. Taylor

Members of the Women's Clubs of Clarke County, Virginia, have planned an active season. At the last meeting of the club, a one-act play was given by Miss Nan Thomas, Mrs. Francis Osborne, Mrs. R. L. Plybon, Mrs. W. D. Garvin and Mrs. B. G. Gorham. The same play will be repeated at the April meeting of the Berryville, Va., Parent-Teacher Association, when the Women's Club will be in charge of the entertainment. At the April meeting of the Women's Club, Miss Rose MacDonald, member of the State Board of Education and rural supervisor of Clarke County, will give an address on the "Evolution of Education in Virginia."

At a later time, the club will have as guest Mrs. Kennedy-Edsall, who will speak on Russia. As a means of raising money for the milk fund for undernourished children, the club will hold a dance in the high school auditorium next Friday night.

Plans for the Virginia State narcissus show, which will be held in Alexandria, Va., April 11-12, are advancing. The idea of the show was evolved after Mrs. Leslie H. Gray had visited the Maryland daffodil show.

Tonight the Mothers Club of Charlottesville, Va., will sponsor a fashion show in the rose room of the Monticello Hotel. Proceeds will go into the club fund for the needy.

Citizens of Bristol, Va., have set aside May 9-11 as the dogwood festival. As a borderline city the mayors of the sections have issued joint proclamations announcing the choice of March 25-30 as the time for the planting of dogwood trees.

Already actively identified with the development of better music through its Treble Clef Club, municipal band, junior music club and numerous glee clubs, Hagerstown, Md., is to have a new young people's choral organization, started this week with Raymond K. Hollinger as director.

The literature section of the Women's Club of Martinsburg, W. Va., will have as the subject of its meeting today "Adventures in Irish Fiction." The program includes a book review and a discussion of Irish novelists of today. Leaders of the meeting will be Mrs. H. L. Drewry, Mrs. H. D. Ancell and Mrs. Edgar Sites.

Nice's Defeat On Sales Tax Perils Relief

Assembly Is Deadlocked as Last Week of Session Begins.

Senate Is Not Expected to Change Stand on 2 Pct. Levy.

By Francis O. White, Jr.
A Staff Correspondent.

Annapolis, Md., March 24.—Still in a deadlock over shaping a program for unemployment relief to conform with Federal requirements, the Maryland General Assembly tomorrow night will swing into the final week of its biennial session. Sine die adjournment is fixed for next Monday under the constitution.

The Senate, after debating nearly four hours, prolonging a session until nearly 2:30 o'clock this morning, finally adopted an unfavorable report from the finance committee on the bill to impose a general 2 per cent sales tax. This was viewed as the key proposal to meet the relief problem. The vote was 17 to 11.

Gov. Nice commented only briefly on the Senate's refusal to line up with the House and adopt a sales tax bill. He said:

"Blessed is the man who has nothing to say and can not be made to say it. The House passed a 2 per cent retail sales tax which would have amply provided for the relief of the destitute and old-age pensions. The Senate has seen fit to reject the action of the House.

"Has No Criticism."

"Our promise to the Federal Government remains unfulfilled. The dangers of delay are serious and imminent. I offer no criticism of any one as every gentleman in the Senate had a perfect right to his honest convictions and an equal right to vote those convictions."

The measure is that sponsored by Speaker Emanuel Conine, of the House, which received House approval by a decisive margin only two days ago. A bloc of senators, mostly Republicans, headed by J. David Baile, Carroll County, minority floor leader, sought to save the bill by having it substituted for the unfavorable report. It was this motion made by Baile, that precipitated the debate. Senator J. Allan Coad (Democrat), St. Marys County, majority floor leader, stout opponent of the bill, led the successful fight against the motion, and the recorded vote is regarded as the final Senate line-up.

It was said in several quarters today, however, that one or two senators might change over the week-end, and that a move to reconsider the vote on the committee's action probably will be launched when the Senate reconvenes tomorrow night.

Begin Work at 11 P. M.

The Senate did not clear decks for action on the bill until 11 o'clock. The House had adjourned several hours prior to that. Throughout the afternoon, the finance committee held extensive conference on the bill, and groups of senators engaged in a series of parleys with Gov. Nice. The executive, however, was unable to win a majority of the senators.

Democratic senators who joined Senator Baile and the Republican group in speaking for the bill included Joseph L. Donovan, Howard County, and W. Frank Every, Baltimore. Others who joined in opposing the bill are President Sasscer, Prince George's County, and Stedman Prescott, Montgomery County.

Gov. Nice occupied a seat in the Senate gallery during part of the debate and head attacks leveled at him.

Minister Dies at 77.

Special Dispatch to The Post.

Hagerstown, Md., March 24.—The Rev. H. C. Weston, 77, retired Methodist minister, died suddenly at his home here today. He served 36 years as pastor in the Indiana conference, but has lived retired here for 13 years. His wife survives. The funeral will be held Tuesday afternoon here.

Winning Western Maryland Debating Team

Post Staff Photo.

With only four more debates scheduled, the Western Maryland College debating team, of Westminster, Md., which has been awarded 10 out of 15 decisions this year, is expected to place first among the 29 colleges comprising the Debating Association of Pennsylvania Colleges. Pictured above are the members of Western Maryland's team, the only college outside of Pennsylvania holding membership in the association. Back row (left to right), William Bratton, Elkton, Md.; Ray Simpson, Baltimore; Charles Daneker, Bel Air, Md.; John Warman, manager, Uniontown, Pa. Front row, Kale Mathias, Westminster, Md.; Kenneth Plummer, Frostburg, Md.

Rev. Crisman's Last Rites Held At Hedgesville

Resident of Beckley Served St. Stephen's Church Many Years.

Special Dispatch to The Post.

Martinsburg, W. Va., March 24.—Burial services were held this afternoon in the Episcopal Cemetery at Hedgesville, this county, for the Rev. Wilson Page Crisman, 65, rector of St. Stephen's Church at Beckley, W. Va., and a native and former resident of Berkeley County, who died at his home in Beckley Thursday evening. Funeral rites were held at the St. Stephen's Church at Beckley.

The Rev. Mr. Crisman was a graduate of the Episcopal Theological Seminary at Alexandria, Va., and his first charge was at the Zion Episcopal Church in Charles Town, W. Va.

He was called from Charles Town to Moundsville, and while there was elevated to the position of archdeacon of the Diocese of West Virginia. From Moundsville he went to Williamson, in Mingo County, and from there to Beckley.

Surviving are two sisters, Mrs. C. E. Rogers, wife of a Presbyterian minister in North Carolina, and Mrs. Nannie E. Ramer, of Berwyn, Md., and one brother, the Rev. Clayton Crisman, pastor of St. Margaret's Episcopal Church in Baltimore.

Mrs. Rosa V. Kline.

Special Dispatch to The Post.

Myersville, Md., March 24.—Funeral services will be held from St. Mark's Lutheran Church, Wolfsville, tomorrow afternoon for Mrs. Rosa V. Kline, wife of Charles M. Kline, a former member of the Maryland Legislature, who died at her home here yesterday morning. She was 61.

Besides her husband Mrs. Kline is survived by the following children: Austin Kline, Middlepoint; Mrs. Iva Wise, Wolfsville; Mrs. Flossie Baker, Wilmington, Del.; Ray Kline, Archie Kline, Herman Kline, Wolfsville; Lloyd Kline, Cavetown; Arthur Kline, Ellerton; Guy Kline, Myersville; Wilbur Kline, Rosslyn, Va.; Misses Grace and Ursa Kline, at home. Four brothers also survive.

Mrs. N. W. Trainum.

Special Dispatch to The Post.

Staunton, Va., March 24.—Funeral services for Mrs. Nannie W. Trainum, 77, were held this afternoon at the First Baptist Church here, with the Rev. I. T. Jacobs, the pastor, in charge. Burial was in the family lot at Port Republic.

Mrs. Trainum, last of her immediate family, died Friday night after a week's illness.

Miss C. E. Shriver.

Special Dispatch to The Post.

Westminster, Md., March 24.—Funeral services for Miss Caroline E. J. Shriver, of Hagerstown, Md., who died at the Washington Sanitarium, Takoma Park, Md., will be held here tomorrow.

Miss Shriver was an employe of the Western Maryland Railroad for more than 20 years, and was past worthy matron of Queen Esther Chapter, Order Eastern Star, of Hagerstown, members of which will assist in the funeral services. She was a graduate of Western Maryland College, class of 1892.

Surviving are two sisters, Miss Anne E. Shriver and Miss Mary L. Shriver, Westminster, and one brother, Howell B. Shriver, Philadelphia. Services will be held at the Shriver home here.

C. E. Ham.

Special Dispatch to The Post.

Charlottesville, Va., March 24.—Funeral services were held today for Clayton E. Ham, 37, electrician, member of the Monticello Guard, local military company, and World War veteran, who died yesterday at University Hospital after a brief illness of pneumonia.

Mr. Ham married Miss Addie Haynes, of this city, who survives with two children, Martha May and Clayton Ham, jr. Besides his immediate family, he also leaves six brothers and two sisters.

James W. Locke.

Special Dispatch to The Post.

Martinsburg, W. Va., March 24.—Services will be conducted here tomorrow afternoon for James William Locke, 84, lifelong resident of Martinsburg, who died late Friday at his home here.

Surviving are ten children and two sisters.

Mrs. Mary E. Daniel.

Special Dispatch to The Post.

Lynchburg, Va., March 24.—Funeral services for Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Daniel, 63, widow of J. W. Daniel, who died Saturday at Virginia Baptist Hospital here, were conducted this afternoon at Mount Horeb Methodist Church near Huddleston, Bedford County.

Mrs. Daniel was a member of Mount Horeb Church, and is survived by five children, a sister and three brothers.

Traffic in Virginia Halted by Hailstorm

By the Associated Press.

Marion, Va., March 23.—A hailstorm, the most severe in the memory of residents here, struck Marion late this afternoon.

Hailstones fell in sheets until the ground appeared as if covered with snow. In some places stones piled up to a depth of over a foot. Some of the hailstones were more than an inch in diameter.

Traffic on highways in the vicinity of Marion was stopped and tops of automobiles parked on streets were badly damaged.

Finalists Decided In Speech Contest

2 Shepherdstown Students to Vie in State Event.

Special Dispatch to The Post.

Shepherdstown, W. Va., March 24.—Shepherdstown High School placed two winners in the State finals of the West Virginia High School interscholastic oratorical contest at Morganton by winning in the sectional contest at Shepherd State Teachers College here last night.

The finalists in the contest were: Oration, Miss Barbara Lemen, of Shepherdstown High School; extemporaneous speech, Miss Ruth Stillwell, of Hedgesville High School; debate, Henry Morrow, of Shepherdstown High School; reading, Miss Madge Starliper, of Martinsburg High School.

The judges selected are the following members of Potomac State Teachers College, of Keyser, W. Va.: Dean Frank Mauzy, Averett Howard, professor of English, and Prof. W. B. Anthony, registrar.

Retail Merchants Group Formed in Winchester

Special Dispatch to The Post.

Winchester, Va., March 24.—A subdivision of the local Chamber of Commerce was formed last night at a meeting in the George Washington Hotel, when the retail merchants organized. W. M. Krise was elected president; R. E. Avey, vice president, and Andrew Bell, secretary.

The merchants voted to close stores early during the summer and agreed on a number of holidays to be observed during the year.

Brunswick Orations Friday.

Special Dispatch to The Post.

Brunswick, Md., March 24.—The annual declamation contest of the Brunswick High School will be held in the school auditorium Friday evening. Mrs. Grace Yoke White, Miss Jessie Trotter and Miss Etta O. Williams, members of the faculty of the Shepherd State Teachers College, Shepherdstown, W. Va., have been named as judges for the contest.

Useful Books To Be Awarded In Spelling Bee

Finals in Post's Contest Will Be Held in 32 Counties in May.

When The Washington Post conducts the area finals of the National Spelling Bee in May, some boy or girl in Maryland, Virginia or West Virginia will be the proud possessor of a 12-volume set of the Encyclopaedia Britannica Junior. Second prize will be Champlin's Young Folks Cyclopaedia, a four-volume reference work.

These prizes are offered by The Post for the best spellers in the 32 counties in which the contest is being conducted. In addition, these two pupils will have the opportunity of competing for $1,750 in the National Spelling Bee. In that match, $500 will be given as first prize; $300 as second, and the remainder of the prize money will be divided so that even the boy or girl who is last in line will receive $50. The representative of this territory is certain to win at least that amount and more if he or she out-spells champions from other parts of the United States.

Britannica Junior has been selected as first prize for the area because it is specially written and edited for children by specilists eminent in child education. The text is supplemented by more than 3,000 pictures, including 140 maps and many beautiful color illustrations. The set is beautifully bound, in a washable binding, and comes in a sturdy box which serves as a bookcase.

The Post also offers a copy of the Wonder Book of Knowledge as first prize in each of 32 counties, and Thorndyke's new Junior Century Dictionary to the second best speller in each county.

Sixth, seventh and eighth grade pupils in public, private and elementary schools are eligible to take part. A leaflet giving full details of the spelling bee may be obtained by writing the spelling bee director, Alice Fox Pitts, in care of The Washington Post.

Abraham Shockey Claimed by Death

Waynesboro Man Hid Bank Funds in Civil War.

Special Dispatch to The Post.

Waynesboro, Pa., March 24.—Abraham H. Shockey, 82, the only survivor of a group which helped bury $40,000 near here in an effort to hide it from retreating Civil War soldiers in 1863, died at 11 a. m. yesterday at his home here.

Mr. Shockey helped bury the money, which was taken from the First National Bank of Waynesboro, on his father's homestead at Roadside, where now stands the Waynesboro Country Club.

After the soldiers, members of Lee's army, had passed, the money was recovered.

Marylander Admits He Made 'Moonshine'

Special Dispatch to The Post.

Crumpton, Md., March 24.—Milan Puckett, 48, has been released under $1,000 bail by U. S. Commissioner Louis H. Merryman after agents of the Bureau of Internal Revenue discovered 85 gallons of "moonshine" liquor in his house, together with equipment supposed to age the liquor two years within four days.

He pleaded guilty to the charge of manufacturing illicit alcohol and will be tried at a session of the U. S. District Court to convene at Denton, April 8. Charles J. Callahan, investigator in charge at Salisbury, and H. D. Thompson and William T. Roe made the arrest.

Youth Held In Shooting Of Farmer

James Stewart, 16, Jailed After Wounding of Foster Father.

Norman Wyatt, 36, Is Near Death in Easton Hospital.

Special Dispatch to The Post.

Massey, Md., March 24.—Norman Wyatt, 36, prominent Kent County farmer, is in Easton Emergency Hospital with a shotgun wound in his head, and James Stewart, 16, whom he took to raise three years ago, is in Chestertown Jail held on a charge of attempted murder. Sheriff John N. Bennett made the arrest today.

The youth denied the charge and implicated another man who, after being questioned, was not arrested. Authorities are awaiting the outcome of Wyatt's injuries, though hospital physicians held scant hope for his recovery.

He was injured with a shotgun, fired at close range, through a window pane of his living room, as he sat early this morning, reading a newspaper. His wife and three small children had retired. They had gone to the neighboring town of Millington last night, according to Mrs. Catherine Wyatt, and taken Stewart with them, but he failed to return home with them.

Once before, Mrs. Wyatt said, he had tried to leave the farm permanently and some heated words had been exchanged intermittently between the boy and Wyatt.

Wyatt's shotgun had been taken from a hay loft where he kept it and was later found on the premises. Some pies and cakes were missing from the pantry today and Mrs. Wyatt believes Stewart returned in advance of the family and was on the grounds when they arrived home.

Stewart was adopted from his parents who were unable to support him and was appaerntly not satisfied on the farm. He was arrested after Dr. Merritt Brice, of Millington, had been called and had ordered the injured man to the hospital.

Mrs. Wyatt came down stairs after hearing the shot and found her husband in a pool of blood on the floor.

School Captures Choral Contest

Meriwether Lewis Group Wins in Albemarle.

Special Dispatch to The Post.

Charlottesville, Va., March 24.—Singers from Meriwether Lewis High School, near Ivy, were awarded first prize in Albemarle County's annual school choral contest. Scottsville School was second, and three schools, Greenwood, Crozet and Red Hill, tied for third.

More than 150 pupils participated in the contest, held in the auditorium of First Baptist Church and broadcast over the local radio station, WEHC.

The judges were Mrs. Thomas Dickens and Mrs. R. C. Heidloff, of the university, and Guy F. Via, of the Charlottesville Municipal Band. The Meriwether Lewis chorus was directed by Miss Ruby Garth, of Ivy.

60-Foot Pond Dragged For Body of Woman

Special Dispatch to The Post.

Chambersburg, Pa., March 24. Franklin County officials and State police yesterday dragged the 60-foot deep pond in Guilford Township, where earlier this week the body of a 3-month-old child was found by fishermen.

The search was made on the possibility that another body, that of the mother of the child, might be at the bottom of the old iron ore pit.

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Good morning! Schloss Brothers Easter suits are ready. We could write long essays about them, deliver ardent orations on them. We could compose rhapsodies over them. But if our enthusiasm were unrestrained you would be appalled. So we merely and meekly invite you to see them for yourself.

Meyers.
MENS SHOP
1331 F STREET

Kansas City Tops Nat Regulars; Albany Beats Home Guard

This Morning...

With Shirley Povich

Mr. Gus H. Fan,
Gen'l Delivery,
Washington, D. C.

Dear Gus: Biloxi, Miss., March 24.

SLEEPING under blankets. Might just as well be in Washington. The Biloxi Chamber of Commerce has about as much influence with the weather man as King Canute had with the tides, if you remember, Gus. But come cold, rain or even sunshine, the Washington Club will train at Biloxi as long as Clark Griffith owns 51 per cent of the stock. Griff is on speaking terms with every blade of grass on the three Biloxi golf courses, and as as long as he can break 80 the team will return to Biloxi each spring.

POVICH.

You'da laughed, Gus, to hear Joe Engel rip it into the big league guys the other day when he carted all those rookies back to Chattanooga. Joe was saying as how he'd got his first laugh a coupla weeks ago when he read in the papers that Griff and Bucky Harris were saying they had the best crop of rookies they ever took to training camp. He claims he said then that none of those kids Griff and Bucky were praising would ever see the light of the big leagues and that he'd have to take 'em off their hands.

To hear Engel tell it, Gus, it's the same old story. Big league managers get all hepped up when a rookie gets a fast ball over the plate and actually kid themselves into thinking they've got another Lefty Grove. All this talk about the kids having swell "action" is the bunk, he says. They pay off on base hits, and Engel was saying that, as far as he was concerned, he didn't care if a pitcher kicked the ball up to the plate as long as he won ball games. Year after year, the big league managers fall for the same stuff, Engel was saying, and the wonder of it to him is that they keep falling for it.

Engel was saying, too, Gus, that he had to laugh right in the faces of Griff and Harris when they told him Sammy Holbrook might not be a smart catcher, even if he did look good in practice. You oughta heard Joe sound off about smart catchers, Gus. There ain't three brainy catchers in the big leagues, he allowed. When I asked him to name those three he started right off with Mickey Cochrane and then for the life of him couldn't think of another one he'd call smart.

WHO cares whether catchers are smart or not, he wanted to know. The chances are that the pitchers shake their signs off anyway, and the pitchers know more about the hitters than the catchers, he said. Take this Holbrook. Maybe he wasn't a heavy thinker behind the plate, but he could hit that rock, Engel was saying. He also can nab those pop flies and throw 'em out stealing, and what more do you expect in a catcher?

Harris and Griff simply refuse to believe that .212 batting average that Jack Redmond had down in Birmingham last season, Gus. They've taken a shine to him, and no wonder. He gets around behind the plate quicker than either Cliff Bolton or Holbrook and Harris was saying when he saw Redmond take a half-dozen swings and hit a half-dozen balls squarely on the nose that if the guy's a weak hitter, well, then "I'm (Harris, not me) a foul tip." This Redmond's gonna be the team's No. 3 catcher, Gus, and whenever Bolton or Holbrook become the least bit bored with their job, you'll see him in there, if not sooner.

All this talk about three fellows, Lyn Lary, Ossie Bluege and Red Kress, being in the fight for the shortstop job is the bunk at this writing, Gus. Harris has gone overboard on Lary. To hear him talk, Lary will be the sensation of the club. Harris had Lary last year up at Boston, you know, Gus, and for some reason or other he's overlooking that measly .240 batting average the fellow had last year. Kress will top that by 50 points and Bluege by at least 25, but it makes no never mind with Harris right now.

BUCKY says Lary can hit .240 and still be a more dangerous hitter than either Kress or Bluege, Gus, and that he's the best infielder in the big leagues when it comes to taking bad hops. I always figured only about 10 per cent of the ground balls took bad hops, and that I'd rather have a guy out there like Bluege who could field the other 90 per cent to a king's taste, or even the queen's, but Harris is sold on Lary, so you'll be seeing him in there on April 16.

Jake Powell isn't doing himself much good down here with that torn cartilage in his knee, Gus, but both Griff and Harris are determined to get him in the line-up instead of Schulte. Griff wants the local color on the team for what it's worth at the gate, and Harris wants a little more speed and hitting power than Schulte supplies, so, all in all, the door's wide open for Jake. He's a nice ball player to tie to though, Gus.. If he's got a weakness, those International League pitchers couldn't find it last year when he batted .356 as a lead-off man. And Harris says he's the best right-handed bunter he ever saw. Harris has been around the big leagues for 15 years now, Gus; you remember him, and that's tall talk he's making about a rookie.

Well, Gus, before I close I want to tell you what Griff and Harris have to say about Washington's chances in the pennant race. It's exclusive. Griff came right out and said that the Nats would be up there or thereabouts; that the team that won the pennant would know it had been in a battle, and that it would be a fight all the way. Harris was even bolder, Gus. He said that this is no seventh-place ball club, that he had confidence in his boys, and that anything can happen in baseball.

As for myself, Gus, you can quote me as saying I regret that I have but one life to give to my country; millions for defense but not one penny for tribute; don't give up the ship, and don't fire until you see the whites of their eyes.

Yrs. in sport.
S. L. P.

Gallico, in Chicago, Discovers He Retains Traveling Habits

By Paul Gallico
A Special Correspondent.

CHICAGO, March 24.—A gentleman who has finished two months of traveling in Europe and returns to the United States, makes his first long-distance trip in this country and finds that the old traveling habits are still with him.

Well, here we are in Chicago with New York's Golden Gloves boxing team for the annual inter-city matches and a real thrill it is finally to be in this famous city. And what a relief to find that I can make myself understood by the natives in the hotels and railway stations and restaurants and really have no trouble at all.

I guess the thing that a native-born New Yorker when traveling fears most is language difficulties in a foreign country. But for the benefit of those intending to make the journey to Chicago some time I can honestly inform you stay-at-homes that if you speak reasonably good English you will have no trouble here at all.

I mean, you say "cab" if you want a taxi, and they drink bourbon instead of rye, but otherwise you will have no trouble getting along.

One's first impression of Chicago upon alighting from the famous Twentieth Century Limited, which has safely brought one through so many hazards, is that one is in a tough, rugged, pioneering city, with a sooty, blackened, noisy train shed of a railroad station, so different from the gold and marble temples of the Central and the Pennsylvania Railroads from which New Yorkers depart for foreign cities.

However, contrary to many stories in which the imaginations of the writers, I suspect, have run away with their veracity, there are no Indians on the platform. On the contrary, the stranger is greeted by the same type "red cap" with which he is so familiar at home, to porter his baggage, a modern touch apparently borrowed from the East.

The egress from the station is accompanied by great confusion and hurly-burly from a narrow arcade under the station and where all traffic is immediately snarled in what seems to be a hopeless tangle, and where, for the first time, one has a glimpse at the famous "Yellow Cabs" which, as you know originated in this city and were later copied all over the world. It is an unforgettable thrill when the tourist sees his first Yellow Cab. Many of the original Yellow Cabs are still on the streets here.

We all looked, as the train crawled into the city through the low, gray outskirts, for the famous ruins of the World's Fair that was

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Linke Allows 4 Tallies in 5 Innings

Myer, Redmond Alone Solve Foes' Hurling in 6-4 Defeat.

Biloxi Contingent Drops 8-4 Decision After Leading, 4 to 0.

By a Staff Correspondent.

MOBILE, Ala., March 24.—The vitriolic attack of the Nats in yesterday's exhibition game with Kansas City was missing today. The boys were limited to seven hits, while Ed Linke and Henry Coppola gave up 10, the score going to the American Association club by 6 to 4.

Of those seven hits, four were collected by Buddy Myer and Jack Redmond and they were man-sized swats. In the third inning, Myer tripled almost to the left field fence, a rather prodigious wallop for a left-handed batter. In the ninth, he doubled to center.

The young backstop, Redmond, had only two times at bat after relieving Bolton and he did about as well as he could. He doubled sharply to right in the seventh and in the ninth he started a rally with a triple to the same field.

Linke Allows Six Hits.

Linke was smashed for six hits and four runs in the five innings he pitched, the Blues getting him for four singles after he walked Stumpf in the first inning. Then he settled down to pitch well, but Coppola was greeted in the sixth with three hits, which brought two tallies.

A crowd of some 2,000 saw the athletes in action and both teams performed well in the field. Kress was stationed at first, Harris leaving Kuhel at Biloxi. The latter complained of the hard ground here and asked to be left at the training camp to work out today.

Home Guard Also Loses.

Biloxi, Miss., March 24.—The Nats' home guard, deploying here while the regulars battled the Kansas City Club at Mobile today, succeeded in losing to Albany, 8 to 4, despite a 4-run lead gained in the first inning.

Thereafter, the Nats' farm hands ploughed into Pitchers Al Thomas and Syd Cohen for 18 hits to make a shambles out of what had been advertised as a ball game. Four of the hits clattered off the bat of pudgy Hack Wilson, whom one can now step over as easily as walk around.

Before the game had run its course, the Nats had three pitchers playing various positions which accounts, in part, for the fact that big Jim Tennant and Jib Carruthers held the Washington team to five hits.

Syd Cohen was handed a 4-to-3 lead by Thomas when the latter left the pitching mound at the end of the fifth inning, but, unluckily for Cohen, Thomas did not leave the park. He relieved Heinie Manush in right field, and Cohen was burdened, too, with the presence of Pitcher Leon Pettit in left field.

Hurlers Misjudge Flies.

Thomas proved himself no right-fielder when he misjudged a fly ball that went as a two-base hit, but Pettit made a piker of Thomas an inning later when he misjudged no more difficult a fly for three bases.

Four bases on balls were mixed up in the first inning proceedings in which the Nats scored their four runs off Tennant. A single through the box by Rookie Frank McDonald drove two of 'em home.

From the first until the ninth inning, young Joe Mills was the only Washington player to get a hit off the Albany pitching. His liner to center field in the sixth off Carruthers was one of the two safe blows the curve-balling left-hander permitted.

Mills, the former Washington sandlotter, produced his most im-

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Two Down!

Wash.	AB	H	O	A	Kansas C.	AB	H	O	A
Powell,cf..	3	2	1	0	French,ss..	3	0	2	3
Myer,2b..	3	2	0	3	Stumpf,cf..	3	0	3	0
Sington,lf.	4	0	2	0	Kreevich,rf	3	2	1	0
Stone,rf..	4	1	5	0	Alexan'r,1b	4	1	8	0
Travis,3b..	4	1	1	0	Rollings,3b	4	1	1	2
Lary,ss...	3	0	2	1	Mosolf,lf..	4	1	3	0
Bolton,c..	3	1	2	0	Schulte,2b.	4	1	3	5
Redmond,c	2	2	7	0	Gaston,c..	2	0	7	0
Kress,1b..	3	0	9	0	Breese,c...	2	1	2	0
Linke,p...	2	0	0	1	Strauss,p..	1	0	0	0
Coppolo,p.	2	0	0	0	Page,p....	1	1	0	1
					*Sullick...	1	0	0	0
Totals.	35	7	24	5	Marleau,p.	1	0	0	0
					Parker,p..	0	0	0	0
					Totals.	35	10	27	12

Washington	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	—4
Kansas City	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	x	—6

*Batted for Page in seventh.

Runs—Myer (2), Redmond (2), Stumpf, Kreevich (2), Alexander, Breese, Sullick. Errors—Lary, French. Runs batted in—Powell, Myer, Stone, Travis, Kreevich, Alexander, Rollings (2), Mosolf, Sullick. Two-base hits—Redmond, Myer, Breese, Sullick. Three-base hits—Redmond, Myer. Stolen base—Lary. Left on bases—Washington, 9; Kansas City, 8. First base on balls—Off Linke, 2; off Cappolo, 1; off Strauss, 3; off Parker, 1; off Page, 1. Struck out—By Linke, 1; by Cappolo, 2; by Strauss, 3; by Page, 1; by Marleau, 1. Hits—Off Linke, 6 in 5 innings; off Strauss, 2 in 3 innings; off Marleau, 2 in 1 innings; off Cappolo, 4 in 3 innings; off Page, 1 in 3 innings; off Parker, 2 in 1 inning. Passed ball—Breese. Winning pitcher—Strauss. Losing pitcher—Linke. Umpires—Rasberry, Cox and Brown. Time of game—One hour 47 minutes.

Albany.	AB	H	O	A	Wash.	AB	H	O	A
Reeves,2b.	5	1	7	7	Kerr,2b...	4	2	3	4
Hostel'r,cf	5	1	1	0	Bluege,ss..	5	1	5	5
Pickett,1b.	2	1	4	0	Pettit,lf..	3	0	0	0
Susko,1b..	3	1	9	0	Manush,lf.	2	0	0	0
Wilson,rf..	5	4	1	0	Cohen,p...	1	0	0	2
Wright,lf..	5	2	1	0	Kuhel,1b..	3	0	9	0
Pack d.3b.	5	3	1	3	Schulte,rf.	3	0	2	0
Peters,ss..	3	3	1	4	McDo'd,1b.	4	1	8	0
Phillips,c.	3	1	0	0	Holbrook,c.	1	0	3	0
Bell,c....	2	2	2	0	Mills,3b...	3	0	1	2
Tennant,p	1	0	0	0	Thomas,p..	4	0	0	3
C'ruthers,p	3	1	0	0					
Totals.	44	18	27	14	Totals.	31	5	27	1

Albany	0	0	2	1	0	3	1	2	0	—8
Washington	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	4	—4

Runs—Reeves, Hostetler, Susko, Wilson, Packard (2), Peters, Bell, Kerr, Bluege, Kuhel. Errors—Peters, Bluege (2), Pettit. Runs batted in—Manush, McDonald (2), Mills, Susko, Wilson (2), Phillips, Carruthers, Packard. Two-base hits—Hostetler, Susko, Phillips, Packard, Wilson, Peters, Kerr. First base on balls—Off Tennant, 5; off Carruthers, 3. Struck out—By Thomas, 1; by Cohen, 2; by Carruthers, 2. Double plays—Mills to Kuhel, Peters to Reeves to Susko (2), Bluege to Kerr to McDonald. Peters to Reeves to Pickett. Hits—Off Tennant, 3 in 3 innings; off Thomas, 9 in 6 innings; off Carruthers, 2 in 6 innings; off Cohen, 9 in 4 innings. Umpires—Johnson and Chapman.

Mungo Checks Tigers in Duel With Rowe

3,000 See Dodgers Win by 12-6; Ruth Gets Triple but Braves Lose.

By the Associated Press.

ORLANDO, Fla., March 24.—Before the largest crowd ever to watch a game at Tinker Field—more than 3,000—the Dodgers slugged out a 12-to-6 victory over the Detroit Tigers today. Van Mungo and Schoolboy Rowe started on the mound and the former set the American League champions down without a hit in his three-inning turn, fanning five.

The Tigers smacked Frank Lamanske, rookie southpaw, for two runs in the fourth and four in the fifth only to have Brooklyn score five times in the fifth to put the game on ice. Manuel Onis, recruit catcher, led the 20-hit attack with a triple and three singles.

Score:

Detroit (A) ..	000 240 000—	6	8 1
Brooklyn (N)	200 150 31x—12	20	3

Rowe, Fischer and Cochrane; Mungo, Lamanske, Eisenstadt and Phelps, Onis.

Ruth Plays, Braves Bow.

St. Petersburg, Fla., March 24.—Babe Ruth returned to action today after a day's illness but his one hit wasn't enough against his former teammates and the Yankees trounced the Braves, 7 to 3. The Babe's one blow was a triple in the third inning which brought no results.

Ben Chapman copped the day's hitting honors with a triple and two singles while George Selkirk contributed a home run. Jimmy Deshong did some nice hurling for the Yanks, giving only two hits in the last three innings and pulling out of a hole after loading the bases at the start.

Score:

New York (A)	020 110 021—7	9	0
Boston (N)....	020 010 000—3	7	1

Duke, DeShong and Glenn; R. Brown, Smith and Lewis.

Macks' Rally Decisive.

St. Augustine, Fla., March 24 (AP). A ninth-inning rally gave the Athletics a 6-to-5 victory over the Giants today as the Philadelphians hammered Larry Benton for four runs to pull the game out of the fire. A triple by Bob Johnson, a double by Jimmie Foxx and one-baggers by Alex Hooks, Pinky Higgins, Ed Coleman and Dib Williams made up the rally.

The Giants had scored three times against Johnny Marcum in the eighth to break up a tight game, All Cuccinello's triple driving in two runs. Hank Leiber's homer accounted for the first two New York tallies.

Score:

N. York (N)..	000 200 030—5	10	1
Philadel'a (A)	000 010 014—6	10	0

Parmelee, Smith, L. Benton, and Mancuso, Richards; A. Benton, Marcum and Foxx.

Browns Bow, 4 to 1.

Fort Lauderdale, Fla., March 24 (AP).—Buffalo defeated the St. Louis Browns today in an exhibition game, 4 to 1.

Ancient Heinie Muller's double

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Argentine Driver Wins In 3,900-Mile Classic

Buenos Aires, March 24 (AP).—Antonio Kruuse, of Argentina, today won the 3,900-mile international automobile road race. The race, completed today, carried the drivers from Argentina across the Andes to Chile, then back over the Andes to finish at Buenos Aires, the starting point.

Castulo Hortal was second and Antonio Pereyra third.

Second Series Contest Slated at Warrenton

Special Dispatch to The Post.

Warrenton, Va., March 24.—When the boys' team of the Warrenton High list to Jefferson High School, of Falls Church, in Falls Church on Friday night, it was decided the second of the three-game series for the championship of Northern Virginia League would be played in the Warrenton High Gymnasium on Tuesday night. Should there be a tie, the third game will be played on neutral grounds.

Scenes as Diplomats Took to the Field at Skeet Shoot

Harold Dowling, Post Staff Photographer.

Top photo shows Signor Giuseppe Tomassi, Secretary of the Italian Embassy, shooting for the French Ambassador's Cup at the National Capital Skeet Club yesterday as other members of the Diplomatic Corps look on. Lower photo shows Senor Don Luis Calderon, Spanish Ambassador (center), looking on as Ambassador Andre de Laboulaye of France (right) presents the cup to the winner, M. Andre Fiot, Vice Counselor of the French Embassy (left).

Braves Depend On Ruth for Inspiration

Last Year's Fourth Place Club Already Pepped Up by the Babe.

(Another of a series of stories, gathered first-hand in the training camps, on the prospect of major league teams for the coming season.)

By Edward J. Neil,
Associated Press Sports Writer.

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla., March 24.—There's just one question that dominates everything else in the camp of the Boston Braves—What will Babe Ruth do this season, and how far, if any, will he carry the club?

It's a question that goes even farther than the Braves. It dominates the talk around all the training camps. It's the most fascinating situation the major leagues have known since this now aged athlete, then just coming into his own in the American League, started busting home-run records and saving baseball after the Black Sox scandal of 1919.

There's no question about the good Ruth already has done the Braves. Aside from him, they're almost exactly the club that slid home a gentle fourth last season. But already the club is out of the financial hole by reason of his tremendous drawing powers. The lackluster team of 1934 is cocky and

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Klemmerer Dogs Win Field Trials

By the Associated Press.

Worton, Md., March 24.—Allegheny School and Alleghany Bacon Rind, pointers owned by R. H. Klemmerer, of Waynesboro, Va., copped the amateur derby and best derby dog trophies as the annual spring field trials of the Tri-State Sportsmen Club ended today.

Alleghany School Girl won the annual derby, with Phil Baird, owned by Capt. N. D. Woodward, of Baltimore, second. Alleghany Bacon Rind was third. This dog also was judged the best derby dog in the bench show.

Brownie's Mack, owned by W. L. Colket, of Philadelphia, was declared the best all-age dog in the bench show. The same dog won the event last fall.

Three Changes Occur In Bowling 'Big Ten'

Syracuse, N. Y., March 24 (AP).—Three changes occurred among the "Big Ten" pacemakers in the American Bowling Congress tournament today.

Casmier Czarnecki, of Toledo, Ohio, after opening with 194, followed with 235 and 254 and vaulted to second place in the solo event with 683. Don Jackson, Racine, Wis., moved into a tie for third place with Joe Norwick, Detroit, in scoring 215-235-232 for 682. Eddie Dilly and Herman Schlarman, Covington, Ky., stepped into fourth place in the doubles division by virtue of a 1,261 total.

Nusslein Beats Richards.

Chicago, March 24 (AP).—Hans Nusslein, professional tennis champion, defeated Vincent Richards, 1931 champion, 6—3, 6—2, in an exhibition match last night.

Towson Trims Washington Skeet Club

Fiot, Vice Counselor of French Embassy, Wins Envoys' Shoot.

THE Towson Gun Club defeated the National Capital Skeet Club in the second leg of a two-day shoot and Andre Fiot, vice counselor of the French Embassy, won the French Ambassador's Shoot at the club here yesterday.

Towson defeated the local shooters, 403 to 399. In the first shoot of the match in Baltimore Saturday, Towson won, 661 to 628.

M. Fiot cracked 40 out of a possible 50 birds, his handicap of 10 giving him a perfect score. Prince Eugene de Ligne, counselor and charge d'affaires ad interim of the Belgian Embassy, was second in the Ambassador's Shoot, with a 40-9-49.

Results:

National Capital Skeet Club.
Moorhead, 48; Morrison, 47; Don Johnson, 46; Hood, 45; A. Truscott, 44; W. C. Coe, 44; Tompkins, 42; Deyoe, 42; Clark, 41. Total, 399.

Towson.
C. Gillet, 49; Schultz, 47; Berry, 46; Groves, 46; Radebaugh, 45; Haley, 44; Schneider, 44; Wright, 42; Reese, 40. Total, 403.

The French Ambassador's Shoot.
M. Andre Fiot, 40—10—50; Prince de Ligne, 40—9—49; Don Luis M. Yrujo, 28—10—48; Baron Paul Schell, 37—8—45; Mr. Gerard Walravens, 33—9—42; M. Charles Saint, 27—13—40; Signor Giuseppe Tommasi, 18—21—39.

Austrians, Beaten, Boo.

Vienna, March 24 (AP).—A booing and hissing crowd of 2,000 saw the Italian football team defeat Austria today, 2 to 0. A large Nazi element among the spectators contributed to the anti-Italian atmosphere.

Sarron Faces Joe Rivers Tonight

Referee Choice Will Be Kept Secret, Avoiding Prefight Row.

Commission Acts After Big Man Is Requested by Donovan.

THERE will be no prefight squabble over the selection of a referee for the Pete Sarron-Joe Rivers ten-round squabble at the Auditorium tonight. The boxing commission will make an unbiased choice of the third man in the ring this afternoon, keeping its selection a secret until the official arbiter steps into the ring to go to work.

"The commission has sole authority in the selection of referees," pointed out Maj. Harvey L. (Heinie) Miller yesterday. "It will make its choice without influence from the handlers of either fighter. The man selected will be chosen for his fitness to handle this specific fight and not because this manager or that manager wants him in the ring."

A Big Man Sought.

Possibility of a prolonged squabble over the choice of the referee for the important contest arose when Patsy Donovan, manager of Rivers, insisted that "a big man" be assigned to work the bout, so he could break clinches easily. Donovan also stated that his fighter had not been satisfied with the manner in which Referee Muggsy Morris had handled the last bout between Rivers and Sarron and that he would ask the commission not to assign him to the bout.

Immediately following the protest of Donovan, Howard Livingston, the biggest licensed referee in the District, whose regular turn it was to work the bout, requested the boxing commission to withdraw him from the assignment.

"I do not care to be assigned to any bout in which I have been made the subject of an altercation," insisted Livingston. "Under the circumstances, I would rather not work the match, but, of course, if the commission orders me to, I shall."

Idle for Awhile.

Morris, whose use was objected to by Donovan, is not scheduled to work again for several matches.

Jimmy Erwin, manager of Sarron, scoffed at the idea of interfering with the commission's selection of a referee.

"It looks to me as though Rivers' handlers realized their boy was in a tough spot," Erwin stated. "Realizing that, they seem to be casting around for an out of some sort—a ready-made alibi. They claim Sarron was rough in his last fight against Rivers. Naturally, he was rough—but fairly so until Joe started unorthodox tactics.

"Sarron always hits a man when he's off balance, that's fighting, but he never uses illegal methods unless the other fellow starts it first. If you will recall the first bout between these two, you'll remember that Rivers hit Pete on the break four times at the very outset. Your own paper said that in the write-up of the story. Then Rivers gouged Pete's eye, and there was nothing for Pete to do but open up on him—which he did.

Fewer Clinches.

"Freddy Miller, Tommy Paul and Frankie Covelli, all told Pete he was one of the cleanest fighters they ever had fought. So far as

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Three Stars Out, Quintet Wins Title

Kansas City Team Is New A. A. U. Champion.

By the Associated Press.

Denver, March 24.—A long-denied title aspirant, presumably wrecked by the loss of three star players before the current season started, ruled the American basket ball courts today in succession to the downtrodden twice champion Tulsa Diamond Oilers.

The new champion is Southern Kansas Stage Lines of Kansas City, conqueror of both the Oilers, in the semifinals, 36-27, and the Globe Refiners from McPherson, Kans., 45-26, in the finals of the National A. A. U. Tournament played before a crowd of more than 5,000 in City Auditorium last night.

Climaxing a week-end of upsets, including the ousting of Denver's two front-ranked contenders—the Pigs and Denver A. C.—the Liners put on a racing last-half rally that outsped the ball hawking, madcap Kansans.

Mason-Dixon Golf Play Set at White Sulphur

White Sulphur Springs, W. Va., March 24 (AP).—Nearly two score of the Nation's high-ranking amateur golfers will enter the seventh annual Mason and Dixon golf championship play at White Sulphur Springs the week of April 8.

It will be played over the old White Course, with many of the articipants coming from Pinehurst, N. C., where the North-South tourney is scheduled for April 1 to 6. Dan R. Topping, of Greenwich, Conn., defending champion, heads the list of entries.

Miller K. O.'s Briton.

London, England, March 24 (U.P.).—Freddie Miller, of Cincinnati, claimant of the world featherweight title, continued his busy European campaign tonight by knocking out Harry Brooks, of London, in the sixth round.

Coach Develops Variation of Crawl Stroke, Enabling Man to Swim Faster Than Before

By the Associated Press.

MIAMI BEACH, Fla., March 24. Steve Forsyth believes he has developed a stroke by which man can swin faster.

"It really works," testifies Ralph Flanagan.

The 17-year-old Miami free-styler should know, for he has employed Forsyth's stroke in shaving time from 25 established aquatic marks since January 1.

A variance of the American crawl, Forsyth's stroke has its basic difference in a two-kick glide between pull and recovery. The orthodox crawl is simply three kicks for recovery and three for pull.

The veteran coach explained today, while his protege, holder of the American mile, demonstrated in a pool.

"The glide means a more supple recovery, reducing arm movements by a third, it affords more perfect balance and provides relaxation which enables a swimmer to negotiate distances with a great deal less effort."

Forsyth, sure "no one in this country, at least, has ever used this stroke," said it differs from the Japanese crawl in the elimination of excessive knee bending, and a more natural position of head and shoulders.

"In my stroke, the head and shoulders of the swimmer are level with the pool surface," he said. "Roll is minimized, and the body is propelled on an even 'keel' all the way."

Forsyth "found" the stroke last summer while endeavoring to eliminate unnaturalness in the swimming of 17-year-old Peter Lehman, son of New York's Governor, Herbert H. Lehman.

"Pete was experiencing difficulty in accelerating his swimming," Forsyth explained, "but after trying this new stroke he cut down his time 5 seconds in a hundred yards."

The coach, instructor at a hotel pool here in winter and at a White Plains, N. Y., club in summer, told how he developed the stroke.

"I spent countless hours stretched across a bed," he said, "waving arms and legs as if swimming."

American Soccerites Beat Germans; Italians Trim Britons

2,500 Watch First Tests In Series

Americans Victors, 3-0; Italians Score, 3-2; Final Sunday.

IN the opening round of the local international soccer series at Rosedale playground yesterday, America eliminated Germany, 3-0, and Italy defeated Great Britain, 3-2, in two of the best games seen here this season. The clash was witnessed by 2,500 fans. The winners will meet next Sunday on the same field in the final match.

Displaying speed and cleverness, America started strong, Gunn sprinting through the German defense and giving Mayer a hard shot to dispose of. After a penalty-kick was missed by Simonds, America pressed and finally, from a cross by Harding, Simonds scored the first goal.

The Germans monopolized play for some time afterward, displaying neat and clever passing without, however, being able to penetrate the American backs, although E. Koennel missed an easy chance close in. America still led at the interval, 1-0.

Score Second Goal.

On restarting, America pressed for the first ten minutes, Mayer making some remarkable saves from close range. A late shot by Kuhner was stopped by Watson and the ball traveled to Simonds, the American outside right shooting from far out and the ball going through for America's second goal.

The German team tired, and the final minutes saw America scoring again, Kaplan running through the German defense single handed to beat Mayer easily.

Outstanding stars of the game were Forney—making his debut in "big-time" soccer—and Simonds, whose two goals atoned for his missed "penalty." Randy and Louie Mitchell, Hook and Gunn also played a large part in the victory. Of the Germans, Mayer, Lang, W. Miller, E. Koennel and Sienuta were best.

Carries More Thrills.

The British-Italian game was not very fast, but carried more thrills and exciting moments. From a free kick 23 yards out, Avon drove the ball through, after 25 minutes' playing, for the initial goal. The lead was not long maintained, for the British forced a corner off DiValentin and McLaren finally tied the score after the ball had hovered around the Italian goal for some moments. Half-time found the count 1-1.

The Italians took the lead after resumption of play when Avon made a shot from 20 yards out, which Baker only partially stopped. Malloch's mistake proved costly to the Italians shortly afterward and the Britishers tied the score.

Another rush by Italy was stopped by Burton, but Chaconas recovered the ball and passed to Avon, who scored the final tally of the match.

Avon Victors' Star.

Avon, with three goals, was given the lion's share of the laurels in the Italians' victory, but he was aided by Chaconas, DiValentin and Tamagni.

A crowd of some 2,500 saw the matches.

America.	Position.	Germany.
Watson	Goal.	Mayer
Guntow	R. B.	Lang
R. Mitchell	L. B.	Strassberger
Forney	R. H.	Bennertz
Hook	C. H.	W. Miller
A. Wellens	L. H.	A. Miller
W. Simonds	R.	E. Koennel
L. Mitchell	I. R.	L. Koennel
Gunn	Center.	Sienuta
Bailey	L.	Edwards
Harding	O. L.	Kuhner

Goals—Simonds (2). Kaplan. Substitutions—Dore for Watson, Davidson for Wellens, Copper for Davidson, Kaplan for Bailey. Referee—G. Carleton.

Italy.	Position.	Great Britain.
Tamagni	Goal.	Baker
Vecchietti	R. B.	J. McBain
DiValentin	L. B.	J. Burton
Aquilino	R. H.	D. McBain
Chaconas	C. H.	F. Grosart
Dipol	I. H.	Boyd
Stasulli	O. R.	Malloch
M. Avon	I. R.	Turner
Bruzzese	Center.	McLaren
Sperti	I. L.	J. Grosart
Zucchet	O. L.	Bryden

Goals—Avon (2), McLaren. Malloch. Substitutions—Leongini for Sperti, Zerega for Aquilino, Govan for J. Gosart. Referee—H. Coleman.

Celtics' Regulars Rout 'B' Team, 29-2

Titcomb, Birrell, Morgan Hurl First Game.

Special Dispatch to The Post.

ALEXANDRIA, Va., March 24.—The St. Mary's Celtics held their first competitive drill when two picked teams staged a seven-inning practice session. The "A" team, composed of last year's regulars, swamped the "B" team, 29 to 2.

Jimmy Titcomb, Fred Birrell and Doug Morgan worked on the mound for the regulars, while Jack Hudson, Joe Garvey, Shout Taylor and Pohl hurled for the "B" squad.

Next Sunday the Celtics clash with the Mount Vernon Independents in a practice game.

Billy Dillard finished first in the weekly sweepstakes held over the Belle Haven Country Club course this afternoon. He held a gross score of 84, and, with a 14 handicap, had a net 70. Herb Bryant, with a net of 75, finished second, and Andy Clarke was third with a 76.

Two Nat Teams Drop Decisions

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pressive performance today. Playing at third base throughout the game, he handled five difficult fielding chances flawlessly and started a clever double play in the second inning when he took Phillips' hot smash, stepped on third base for a force out and tossed the ball to McDonald at first.

At the Post . . .

with **Bill Bennings.**

Dear Al: Tropical Park, March 24.

This track goes into its last week tomorrow and many heresbouts are expecting some fireworks. The Tropical stewards are alert, however, and you can expect some wholesale suspensions if the boys with the horses do any monkey business. Five jockeys are on the banned list here, and, with many boys leaving, some of the owners and trainers may be riding before the week is out. Trainer Joe, who can make 120 pounds, is looking for mounts. I understand that Bowie is making preparations for a big meeting. The daily-double should aid the track. Having the combination bet on the first and third races draws the crowd to the track early, and the play should increase on the first and second races. Clocker Mike wants Bowie to have two daily-doubles, the second one on the fourth and sixth races. That's an idea, but it would tie up some important money for two races. Stick with 'em, Al. See you tomorrow. BILL.

First race—Dove of Peace seems the logical selection in this group contesting over the 6-furlong course. Gets in with only 102-pounds and I see no reason for mistakes. **Pollyrita** has been whispered about as a good thing and may prove the one to beat. **Befitting** for the show.

Second race—Dark Thatch comes to this maiden test recommended by some fine trials. The veteran J. Renick will do the riding and we may collect a sizable mutuel. **Aboveboard** and **Sighting Bar** to complete the money picture.

Third race—Shuffle On gets the call in this distance race. Appears capable of carrying those 115 pounds. **Guiding Light** gets in with only a steadying impost and will be close. **Marcasite** is a possible wake-up horse.

Fourth race—Whitey Abel appears to have found the right spot for **Idle Flirt.** This one is in splendid shape. **Bye Bye Mary** has shown her class of late and will be ready if the top one makes mistakes. Light weight makes **Mira** a possible surprise.

Fifth race—I'm inclined to take a shot at **Col. Greene** in this field. The Colonel, according to Clocker Mike, has been burning up the track in the morning. **Frederick's** recent victories and the consistent racing of **Feudal Lord** must be respected, however.

Sixth race—Scotch Queen is in rare form and seems to fit in this field like a glove. Any kind of a mutuel will do. **Jakovia** and **River Rose** are well suited and figure to find places in the money circle.

Seventh race—Dancing Boy, with Wright scheduled to ride, gets the Bennings call in the finale. **True Sentiment** and **Kibitzer** for the rest. The last named was a paddock tip late yesterday and may turn on the oil.

Tropical Park Entries.

By the Associated Press.

FIRST RACE—Six furlongs; purse, $700; claiming; 3-year-olds.

No.	P.	F.	Horse—Jockey.	Wgt.	Odds.
1	2		*Starella II (C.W.Smith)	106	20-1
3	2		Pollyrita (Wright)	107	8-1
4	3		Cooney (Barnes)	107	8-1
5	4		Queen Helen (Dupre)	102	12-1
8	5		*Pun (Rosen)	107	20-1
7	6		Dove of Peace (Rainey)	102	7-2
8	7		Contrast (Arcaro)	109	10-1
9	8		Up to Date (Manifold)	107	10-1
10	9		*Pinlet (C.Hanford)	102	20-1
11	10		Ogle (J.Burke)	107	20-1
12	11		*Romola (Lynch)	102	15-1
12	12		Seminole Queen (Corb'i)	107	3-1
14	13		*Templeton (Martin's)	107	20-1
15	14		*Befitting (Bryson)	102	15-1
16	15		*Little Argo (Rainey)	107	5-1
17	16		Lady Laura (Porter)	107	6-1
18	17		Masked Revue (Landolt)	112	10-1
1	18		True Charm (Merritt)	107	6-1

SECOND RACE—Four furlongs; purse, $700; claiming; 2-year-olds maidens; colts and geldings.

3	1		Glitter Glow (Pollard)	112	15-1
4	2		*Skotchy (Lynch)	110	5-2
5	3		Dark Thatch (J.Renick)	112	8-1
6	4		Some Boy (Manifold)	118	20-1
7	5		Step Along (McDerm't)	112	20-1
8	6		Hi Well (Burke)	112	8-1
9	7		Wise Will (C.W.Smith)	112	6-1
10	8		Whipowill (Litzenb'ger)	112	15-1
11	9		Surry (Merritt)	112	12-1
12	10		*Sachem (Rainey)	107	20-1
13	11		Krona (Wright)	115	5-1
14	12		Sighting Bar (Arcaro)	112	8-1
15	13		Some Scout (S.Renick)	115	15-1
16	14		Aboveboard (Burke)	112	6-1
17	15		*Jack Snipe (Lynch)	113	15-1
18	16		Budding (O'Malley)	112	20-1
1	17		Woodway (Landolt)	112	20-1
2	18		Engelic Monk (Merritt)	112	20-1

THIRD RACE—One and one-sixteenth miles; purse, $700; claiming; 4-year-olds and upward.

1	1		Scott'd Beauty (Manif'd)	107	15-1
2	2		Shuffle On (Arcaro)	115	4-1
6	3		Standout (O'Malley)	115	8-1
7	4		*Quick Light (Rainey)	112	5-2
5	5		David's Own (Rosen)	107	20-1
9	6		Just Buck (O'Malley)	112	20-1
10	7		*Boocap (Bohn)	105	8-1
11	8		*Yellow Metal (C.W.Sm'h)	105	20-1
1	9		*Marcasite (C.Hanford)	102	15-1
2	10		Flag Wave (Lynch)	105	4-1
3	11		*High Quality (Lind'g)	107	20-1

FOURTH RACE—One mile; purse, $700; claiming; 3-year-olds and upward; fillies and mares.

5	1		Bye Bye Mary (Merritt)	106	7-2
6	2		*Mira (Hanford)	96	10-1
7	3		Maddenlig (Lynch)	101	5-1
8	4		Nankin (Litzenberger)	106	3-1
9	5		Easter Nation (Yager)	101	20-1
1	6		Hermanita (Manifold)	101	15-1
2	7		Idle Flirt (Abel)	113	7-2
3	8		Wise Revue (Landolt)	113	10-1
4	9		*Old Lady (Rainey)	108	6-1

FIFTH RACE—Six furlongs; purse, $700; claiming; 3-year-olds and upward.

6	1		Hastinip (Lynch)	100	6-1
7	2		Feudal Lord (Wright)	112	4-1
8	3		Fire Mask (Corbett)	107	10-1
9	4		*Sweetbroom (C.Hanford)	95	20-1
1	5		*Idle Victory (Lindberg)	98	10-1
2	6		*Fredrick (Lindberg)	115	5-2
3	7		Col. Greene (Pollard)	106	12-1
4	8		Amusing (Winters)	100	20-1
5	9		Prince Comixa (Arcaro)	113	4-1

SIXTH RACE—One mile; purse, $700; claiming; 3-year-olds and upward; fillies and mares.

7	1		*Sun Teatime (C. Smith)	110	4-1
8	2		*River Rose (C.Hanford)	96	8-1
9	3		Jakovia (Arcaro)	106	6-1
10	4		*Marge (Lynch)	101	10-1
2	5		Merry Go Round (Mer't)	101	20-1
3	6		*Scotch Queen (Rosen)	101	5-2
4	7		Par Value (Hunter)	113	12-1
5	8		Dominant Miss (Rainey)	106	5-1
6	9		*Masked Queen (L'dberg)	98	10-1

SEVENTH RACE—One and one-sixteenth miles; purse, $700; claiming; 4-year-olds and upward.

4	1		Dancing Boy (Wright)	115	7-2
5	2		*Walkalong (Lindberg)	107	6-1
6	3		*Cudseldoe (Litzenb'er)	102	20-1
7	4		Morning Fair (Manifold)	107	10-1
8	5		Sound Money (Bryson)	105	8-1
9	6		Kibitzer (Burke)	112	12-1
10	7		Tom Jack, Jr. (J.Renick)	112	20-1
11	8		*True Sentiment (Lynch)	110	3-1
1	9		*Salut D'Amour (Rainey)	110	6-1
2	10		St. Christopher (Merritt)	112	20-1
3	11		Village Vamp (Malley)	107	15-1

*Apprentice allowance claimed.

Bay Meadows Entries.

By the Associated Press.

FIRST RACE—Six furlongs; purse, $600; claiming; for 3-year-olds.

1	Strange Times	105	6	*Pandan	105
2	*Saragon	105	7	Thistle Genie	110
3	*Lady Louella	100	8	Hydrobell	105
4	*Red Salin	105	9	Chief Everstreen	110
5	Glenire	115			

SECOND RACE—Six furlongs; purse, $600; claiming; for 4-year-olds and upward.

1	*Masked Prince	100	6	*Harry Frank	109
2	Tubac	111	7	*Royal Chef	106
3	Dodie	106	8	*Alsisto	109
4	Chica	106	9	*Jennie Gal	109
5	*Eleanor M	104	10	*Arova Grande	106

THIRD RACE—Four furlongs; purse, $700; optional claiming; for 2-year-old maidens.

1	Morrire	107	5	Kootenay Belle	104
2	Color Belle	107	6	Penalon	112
3	Grico	109	7	Bon Shot	107
4	San Rafael	107	8	Fresno	109

FOURTH RACE—Six furlongs; purse, $600; claiming; for 3-year-olds.

1	Imlay	107	6	Fair Time	106
2	Busy Storm	103	7	Red Go	109
3	Lady Waite	107	8	Bebest	110
4	Dandy Dancer	107	9	Dundreary	108
5	Miss Moo	103			

FIFTH RACE—Six furlongs; purse, $700; grade "D" handicap; for 3-year-olds.

1	Bubbling Mate	110	7	*Playmore	106
2	R. D. Powers	102	8	Spicate	108
3	Supreme Court	116	9	Marition	100
4	Barcarolle	112	10	Squeezer	104
5	Easter Tommy	110	11	*High Man	109
6	Playaway	103			

†P. M. Pike entry.

SIXTH RACE—One mile; purse, $700; claiming; for 4-year-olds and upward.

2	Jane Packard	105	5	Black Signal	112
3	Jeanette K	103	6	Hobnail	114
3	Aggie Star	101	7	Star Brook	106
4	Moon Rose	103			

SEVENTH RACE—One mile and 70 yards; purse, $600; claiming; for 4-year-olds and upward.

1	*Esperanto	102	5	*Flying Atom	109
2	Kislav	114	6	*Evidently	106
3	*Chazan	109	7	*Queen Beth	104
4	Spud	114	8	*Rufle	104

*Apprentice allowance claimed.
Weather, cloudy; track, slow.

Hunter Trials' Entries Are Schooled

Fine Performance Given in Preparation for Saturday Event.

SCHOOLING for the annual hunter trials of the Riding and Hunt Club held yesterday over the jumping course at the new quarters of the club proved without doubt that the course, just recently completed, is one of the sportiest in this part of the country.

The annual hunter trials will be held for the first time over the new course at the East-West highway and Beach drive at 1:30 p. m. Saturday.

The horses schooled over the new course yesterday found it a gruelling test in every respect. Hilly, the course will show up any flaw in the speed and endurance of a horse. Handiness and disposition will be tested by the sharp turns and a straight stretch through woods. Jumping ability will be tested by several difficult obstacles, including a gate, chicken coop, wall, ditch and post-and-rail.

Fine Exhibition.

Yellow Girl, owned by Harry Semmes, gave a remarkable exhibition of handiness and speed, galloping well and jumping safely. She is expected to be well up in the ribbons after the final test next Saturday.

Another horse that looked promising during the schooling period was Moffett, brown hunter owned by Miss Betty Couzens. Moffett's long stride and lack of hesitation at any of the jumps took the sturdy hunter over the course in less time than any of the others.

Team Is Impressive.

Particularly impressive in performance was the hunt team of Col. and Mrs. Harold E. Egan and Miss Charleen Egan. Their horses, Dark Magic, Copiari and Louvec, kept a very regular pace, remained well spaced and fenced well.

Other horses schooled yesterday in preparation for the trials were Mr. Semmes' Cobbler, William C. Hanson's Battalion, Mrs. Hanson's J. Bohn's Blue Boy, Capt. George Wanahon and Smoky Belle, Maj. J. Walker's Dunbar, Miss Evelyn Walker's Hambone, and Col. Charles L. Scott's Red Jacket.

4,000 to Seek Playground Laurels

90 Schools to Compete in Qualifying Events for Track Titles.

NINETY elementary schools and 4,000 boys will compete in division qualifying meets which will lead up to the city championships which the Department of Playgrounds will conduct on May 25, Richard S. Tennyson, assistant supervisor, last night announced.

The Playground Department has sponsored the meets for the last 25 years, and the place for the 1935 championship will not be decided for a few weeks.

All race distances have been shortened this year. The 115-pound class has been eliminated. After the 100-pound class the weights are open, and a boy of any weight may participate.

Accuracy Throw Added.

The accuracy throw has been added to the 85, 100 and open classes. New to the meet is the tsanding broad jump.

There will be 28 events for each meet, and a boy may compete in only one event.

Spiked or cleated shoes will be barred, Tennyson said.

Among the feature races will be the 40 meters, 45 meters, 50 meters, 160 meters, 180 meters and 200 meters.

Women's Pin Tourney Is Assigned to Arcadia

At a meeting of the Washington Women's Duckpin Association at the Lucky Strike yesterday, the spring tournament, beginning April 9, was assigned to the Arcadia. Entries for the tournament will close April 25.

It was decided to rotate the tournament from one alley to another in the future. Next year the affair will be held at Convention Hall, then Lucky Strike and Columbia.

Carter Named Pilot Of Fort Belvoir Nine

Joseph M. Carter, slide trombonist in the Army Band, was elected manager of the Fort Belvoir baseball team yesterday, and players immediately predicted a lot of harmony during the season.

Carter is an old-time player, having performed in the Cotton States League.

Midwest Draws Fistic Spotlight

By the Associated Press.

New York, March 24.—The fistic spotlight this week will be centered on the Middle West, with Cleveland offering a world champion on one card and Detroit featuring its own Negro heavyweight title aspirant, Joe Louis.

Bob Olin, New York, light-heavyweight champion, meets Mickey Dugan, of Cleveland.

Louis, who has been signed up for three outdoor engagements in New York next summer, will encounter Natie Brown, Washington, D. C., heavyweight, at Detroit Friday night.

The program:

Monday—At Albany, Freddie "Red" Cochrane, Elizabeth, N. J., vs. Julie Kats, New York, lightweights, 8, and Irish Jimmy Brady, Elizabeth, N. J., vs. Johnny Toomey, Newark, N. J., lightweights, 8; at Plainfield, N. J., Mike Frattini, Italy, vs. Ralph Fulton, Trenton, N. J., welterweights, 8, and Jimmy Phillips, Bernardsville, vs. Butch Lynch, Plainfield, N. J., middleweights, 8; at Cleveland, Bob Olin, New York, vs. Mickey Dugan, Cleveland, lightheavyweights, 8; Paul Pirrone, Cleveland, vs. Solly Dukelsky, Chicago, middleweights, 8; Babe Risko, Syracuse, vs. Jimmy Belmont, Pittsburgh, middleweights, 8, and Lou Halper, Newark, vs. Tommy Romano, middleweights, 8; at Albany, Davey Grands, Troy, vs. Paul Canamare, New York, lightweights, 8, and Frankie Williams, New York, vs. Elmer Ciccone, Schenectady, lightweights, 8.

Tuesday—At Los Angeles, Pablo Dano, Manila, vs. Young Tommy, Manila, featherweights, 10; at West Palm Beach, Bill Hood, Orlando, Fla., vs. Petey Mike, New York, middleweights, 10.

Wednesday—At Cincinnati, Roushhouse Glover, Jacksonville, Fla., vs. Tony Zale, Chicago, middleweights, 10; at Oakland, Chick Delaney, San Leandro, Calif., vs. Gene Espinosa, Guadalupe, Calif., featherweights, 10.

Thursday—At Atlantic City, Jackie Corcoran, Cranford, N. J., vs. Baby Kid Chocolate, Philadelphia, lightweights, 8; at Paterson, N. J., Louis LeGage, Paterson, vs. Larry Johnson, Chicago, heavyweights, 10.

Friday—At Detroit, Joe Louis, Detroit, vs. Nate Brown, Washington, heavyweights, 10, and Dutch Welmer, Tucson, Ariz., vs. Johnny Vorce, Detroit, heavyweights, 10; at Hollywood, Hank Hankinson, Akron, Ohio, vs. Charles Retzlaff, Duluth, heavyweights, 10; at Philadelphia, Bobby Dean, Philadelphia, vs. Tony Strazzeri, Philadelphia, featherweights, 10.

Racing Selections

Oaklawn.

(For fast track.)

1—Gold Ti, Master Buck, Newell's Choice.
2—Odessa Beau, Ad Astra, Black Dame.
3—Double Nugget, Le Bruyere, Jaz Ace.
4—Eddie J., Little Duke, Playmaster.
5—Reigh Rose, Proud Princessa, Try King.
6—Espinetta, Jim Ormont, Semitar.
7—Inferno Lad, Protractor, Line of Fire.
8—Luck Piece, Bank Shot, Brookhattan.

Best bet—Reigh Rose.

—Louisville Times (A.P.).

Oaklawn Park Entries.

By the Associated Press.

FIRST RACE—Four furlongs; purse, $700; claiming; for maiden 2-year-olds.

1	Minnie G'nock	113	5	Newell's Choice	113
2	H'ry Richman	113	6	Gold Ti	116
3	Brilliant Son	116	7	Mr. Stein	116
4	Master Buck	116	8	Enab	116

SECOND RACE—Oaklawn course; purse, $400; claiming; for maiden 2-year-olds.

1	B'ning Billows	111	6	*Rickety Jane	106
2	Odessa Beau	116	7	*Ad Astra	106
3	B. Baron	116	8	*Dame Grundy	106
4	*Swanky Miss	106	9	Wild Irish	111
5	Black Dame	111	10	Torch Lassie	111

THIRD RACE—Oaklawn course; purse, $500; claiming; for 4-year-olds and upward.

1	*Corida	102	6	Singing River	107
2	Doctor Happy	115	7	Beige	118
3	*Le Bruyere	110	8	Double Nugget	118
4	Busy Spain	112	9	Philwex	110
5	White Bud	107	10	Jaz Ace	118

FOURTH RACE—Oaklawn course; purse, $500; allowances; for 3-year-olds.

1	Joseph J. G	109	6	Vote Boy	109
2	Bonchamp	109	7	Silence III	109
3	Play Master	109	8	Speed Queen	104
4	Witteking	109	9	Eddie C	109
5	Little Duke	109			

FIFTH RACE—One mile and 70 yards; purse, $500; claiming; for 4-year-olds and upward.

1	Busy Master	113	7	*Lugano	108
2	*Mary Pinzine	106	8	*Relch Rose	106
3	*Proud P'ncess	106	9	*Hey Flirt	111
4	*Oneill	111	10	*Penthouse	111
5	Cassada	111	11	Marc'lia Agnes	111
6	Try King	116	12	Immune	106

SIXTH RACE—One and one-eighth miles; purse, $500; claiming; for 4-year-olds and upward.

1	*Cherokee Sal	105	6	Southland Lad	115
2	Scimitar	115	7	*All Tol	106
3	*Para Four	106	8	Lady Oldham	110
4	Espinetta	110	9	Jim Ormont	115
5	North'n Water	115			

SEVENTH RACE—One and one-sixteenth miles; purse, $500; claiming; for 4-year-olds and upward.

1	*Inferno Lad	110	5	The Trainer	105
2	*Line of Fire	105	6	Protractor	115
3	My Ideal	110	7	Salona	110
4	Erech	115	8	*Pantoy	110

EIGHTH RACE (substitute)—One mile and 70 yards; purse, $500; claiming; for 4-year-old and upward.

1	Daisy Cutter	108	7	Strappy	116
2	Luxury	111	8	*Beau Bon	111
3	*Bango Bar	111	9	Kings Minstrel	116
4	*Marabou	108	10	*Hair Trigger	111
5	Brookhattan	116	11	Luck Piece	116
6	Bank Shot	113	12	Ayrshon	113

*Apprentice allowance claimed.
Weather, clear; track, fast.

The Post's Consensus at Tropical Park

The following consensus has been compiled by The Post from the selections of the leading handicappers of the turf. The figures show how the selections were rated.

Consensus of Leading Handicappers

First race	Second race	Third race	Fourth race	Fifth race	Sixth race	Seventh race
Dove of Peace (24)	Skotchy (25)	Flag Wave (26)	Bye Bye Mary (20)	Frederick (31)	Scotch Queen (27)	True Sentiment (2
Seminole Queen (11)	Above Board (19)	Guiding Light (17)	Idle Flirt (19)	Feudal Lord (16)	Jakovia (16)	Dancing Boy (19)
Pollyrita (10)	Dark Thatch (13)	Standout (11)	Nankin (17)	Idle Victory (11)	River Rose (10)	Sound Money (12)

Bennings, Washington Post

Dove of Peace	Dark Thatch	Shuffle On	Idle Flirt	Colonel Greene	Scotch Queen	Dancing Boy
Pollyrita	Above Board	Guiding Light	Bye Bye Mary	Frederick	Jakovia	True Sentiment
Befitting	Sighting Bar	Marcasite	Mira	Feudal Lord	River Rose	Kibitzer

Best bet—Idle Flirt.

Louisville Times, Associated Press

Little Argo	Skotchy	Guiding Light	Wise Revue	Frederick	Jakovia	Salut d'Amour
Masked Revue	Above Board	Shuffle On	Bye Bye Mary	Prince Comixa	Par Value	True Sentiment
Pollyrita	Hi-Well	Standout	Idle Flirt	Feudal Lord	Marge	Sound Money

Best bet—Frederick.

Strange as It Seems —*By John Hix*

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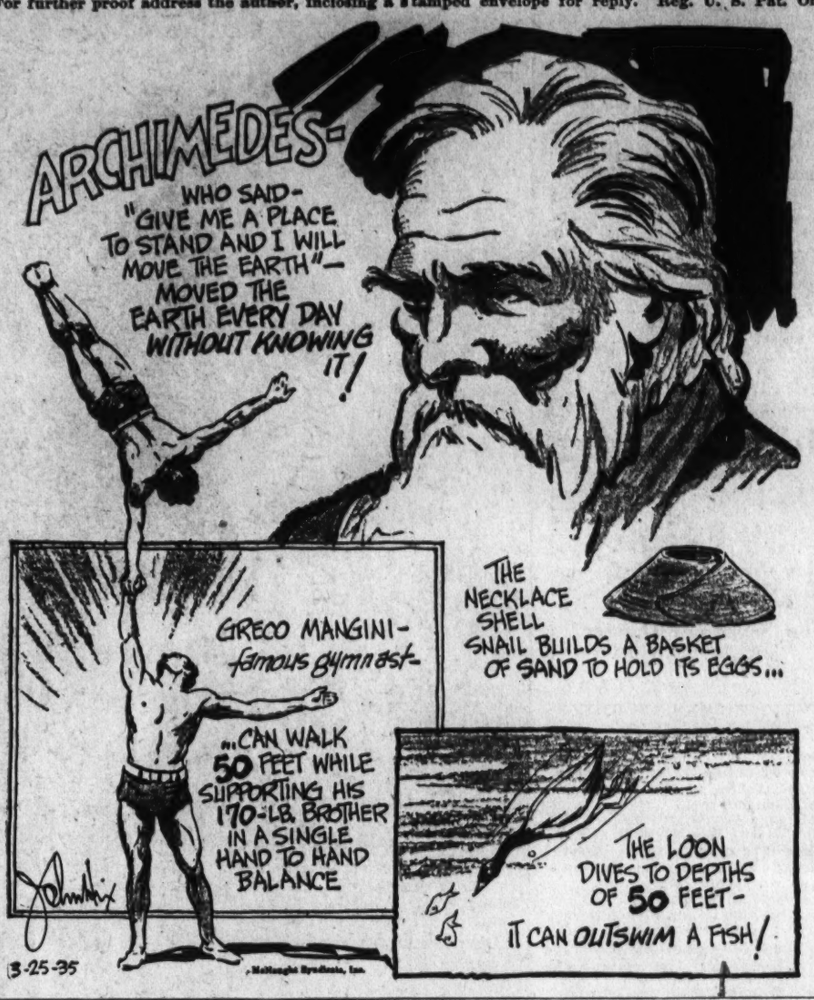

Braves Depending On Help of Ruth

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peppy, and eager to get at 'em by the side of the Babe.

Entire League Thrilled.

The entire league is thrilled at having his mighty personage among them. The American League wonders and wonders if some one didn't make a mistake.

What the situation will be two months from now, not even the Babe can guess. He has trained slowly, as he always does, not trusting his delicate limbs to the uncertainties of the sandy playing surfaces in the South. The Babe is holding his fire until it will do him—and the Braves—the most good.

"I'll be in at least 100 games," he insisted. "I feel great."

If he can reach that goal, the Braves most definitely have a chance to get somewhere this season. Lacking the pitching brilliance to challenge the Giants and Cards, the consistent batting strength, the reserves, there still is something stronger than all these that never will be forgotten in Boston minds—the memory of what inspiration and fighting spirit can do as it did for George Stallings' mediocre Braves of 1914, a team that was last July 4 and and wound up by beating the Athletics four straight in the World Series.

Outfield Is Strong.

Man for man, the Braves don't catch your eye, even with Ruth belting homers as he is expected to wham them over the short fences of the National League parks. The outfield is strong, the pitching good. The infield is spotty, the catching fair.

Bill McKechnie, due to rise from manager to general manager when the Babe takes hold of the playing forces next season, has three crack pitchers in Walter (Huck) Betts and Fred Frankhouse, veteran right-handers, and Ed (Dutch) Brandt, one of the best southpaws in the league. Among them they won 50 of the 73 games the Braves copped last season.

Ben Cantwell, slim right-hander who was a 20-game winner in 1933, and young Bobby Brown, sensation of the season, are staging comebacks after bad arms left them all but helpless last year. Both look healthy and capable again. Flint Rhem, the old Cardinal; Leo Mangum and Bob Smith are veteran moppers-up. Shanty Hogan, who has shaved off 30 pounds, and Al Spohrer are steady catchers.

Berger to Be Aided.

The Babe's presence in the outfield will make it tougher for pitchers facing Wally Berger, one of the hardest driving center fielders in the league, for they'll have to pitch to him more now. Randy Moore, who'll be swapping off left and right fields with the Babe according to the sun around the circuit, is normally a fine hitter, though he dropped off to .284 last season. Young Ruppert Thompson has a chance to break through there, and Hal Lee, improving steadily each year, will be in and out a large part of the time.

The comeback of grand old Rabbit Maranville, whose leg was so badly broken last spring, would mean a great deal to McKechnie if it were an actuality. But while the gallant 43-year-old mite insists he's the Braves' second baseman, the fact is that he still limps from the injury and can't be counted on for much more than coaching and an occasional appearance in action.

That makes Les Mallon, fair hitter but erratic fielder, the Braves' regular second baseman, with Baxter (Buck) Jordan, only .300 hitter on the team, on first base; Bill Urbanski at short and Pinky Whitney on third. Urbanski is still in his prime, but Whitney has slipped in the past couple of years and Randy Moore might wind up playing third.

Pin Congress Teams Face Light Week

Only Two Are Scheduled for Action Tonight in Tournament.

ONLY two teams are scheduled for action in the continuation of the eighth annual National Duckpin Bowling Congress tournament tonight at the Arcadia Alleys, with the Albert Pike and Hebrew League teams rolling their games at 10 p. m.

The schedule for the week is comparatively light, with only two Washington teams competing tomorrow night and six teams on Wednesday night. Wednesday afternoon the sport writers will take over the alleys to battle for the National Sports Writers' championship.

The big day will be Saturday, when star bowlers from the District, Baltimore and Connecticut will make their bid for national honors. Fifty-four teams will start rolling at 11 a. m. and finish at midnight.

Only four teams are scheduled for Thursday, and Friday is an open night.

Flat-Racing Season Opens in Britain Today

Lincoln, England, March 24 (AP).—The flat-racing season opens here tomorrow on the famous Carholme Course. Racegoers have had a surfeit of steeplechasing and hurdle racing and turned with some relief to the Springs and other races staged for speedy horses.

The principal race this week is the first of the big handicaps, the Lincolnshire, to be run Wednesday over a mile straighway. No American-owned horses are entered and Commander III, trained by A. Briscoe, is the favorite. Much interest attaches to this horse, for Briscoe also trains Dorothy Paget's Golden Miller, favorite for the Grand National Steeplechase at Aintree Friday. Many "double" bets coupling the two horses have been made.

Johns Hopkins Riflists Trim West. Md. Team

Special Dispatch to The Post.

Westminster, Md., March 24.—Johns Hopkins University defeated Western Maryland College here yesterday in the final local rifle match of the season, 1,334 to 1,312.

Robert Gufld, of Johns Hopkins, was high scorer with 272 points.

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Scribe Keeps Old Traveling Habits

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named A Century of Progress. Nor are they visible from the railroad station, or the central part of town. We could hardly wait to see these famous remains, more famous perhaps than those of the Acropolis in Greece, or the Coliseum in Rome, but it was Sunday when we arrived, and the ruins, as also many other places, were closed for the Sabbath.

But it is our intention the first thing tomorrow morning to procure a competent guide, an English-speaking one, well versed in the historical lore of the famous ruins, and visit what is left of these famous places of which you and I have heard so much.

But in the meantime I'm impatient to be at my sightseeing. I inquired from the management of the Medinah Athletic Club, where I am stopping, and which is known to the natives as a skyscraper, although it is only 42 stories to the top, just what was to be seen in the famous ruins of the fair, and to my

Four Crucial Games Slated Tonight in A. A. U. Court Tourney

17 Contests On Week's Schedule

Stewart's - Company F, Olmsted - Mt. Vernon Will Battle.

Tonight's Games.
100-pound semifinals—7 p. m., Boys Club Americans vs. Northeast Boys Club Orioles.
115-pound semifinals—7 p. m., Boys Club Fleet Wings vs. Cavaliers.
Unlimited quarter-finals—8 p. m., Stewart's Pharmacy vs. Company F; 9 p. m., Mount Vernon vs. Olmsted Grill.

WITH crucial games scheduled in all classes, contestants for honors in The Post's District A. A. U. tournament will attempt to display their smartest basket ball and unleash their heaviest artillery this week in the finals at Tech High's gym.

Seventeen games are on tap. Four of them will be played tonight. Finals will be decided tomorrow night, Wednesday, Thursday and Saturday.

Two unlimited battles will be fought tonight along with a 100-pound and 115-pound contest.

Stewart's in First.

Stewart's Pharmacy and Company F, of Hyattsville, both of which have great records and expert tossers, will clash at 8 o'clock, and approximately an hour later Olmsted Grill will engage Mount Vernon.

The winner of the Stewart's-Company F game will do battle with Sholl's, 1932-33 District unlimited champions, Thursday night, while the victor in the Olmsted-Mount Vernon affair will take on Bureau of Investigation.

The Boys Club American and Northeast Boys Club Orioles also are on tonight's program. They will clash at 7 p. m. for the right to meet the Cardinals in the final tomorrow night. The Boys Club Fleet Wings will engage the Cavaliers, and the winner of this contest will meet the Y. M. C. A. Eagles for the 115-pound championship Wednesday night.

Close Games Seen.

No runaways are expected in either of tonight's four games. Company F will depend heavily on Rufus Vincent and Spider Chase, former University of Maryland stars, while Stewart's is pinning its hopes on Charlie McVean and Jim Galliher, two former Catholic University players.

Olmsted Grill has in Dave Dantzic, clean, black-haired center, the leading scorer in the unlimited chase, and, if he maintains his present pace, he bids fair to win the special medal which the A. A. U. is awarding to the high point man in this class. Dantzic has scored 36 points in three games. Johnny Sherman and Hal Kemp are two other cogs in the Grill machine. Mount Vernon had a close call with Rinaldi last week, but managed to win, 35-31. Corky Snyder, Jim Fry and Maurice Goubeau are the big shots in the Mount Vernon attack.

Boxers of Boys Clubs Open Tourney Tonight

A total of 120 youngsters ranging in age from 8 to 20 will compete in the Boys Club Association silver gloves boxing tournament, which opens tonight at the Georgetown Boys Club and Merrick Boys Club gyms.

Fifteen bouts will be fought at each club. The matches will continue throughout the week.

The pairings follow:

50-Pound Class.
At Georgetown Boys Club—H. Long (W.) vs. Maxwell (N.E.), G. Ross (M.) vs. H. Vermillion (N.E.), M. Pappafotis (W.) vs. M. Townsend (N.E.).

60-Pound Class.
At Georgetown Boys Club—P. Roberts (M.) vs. J. Jeffries (G.).

70-Pound Class.
At Georgetown Boys Club—J. Stuart (W.) vs. B. Yobst (N.E.), B. Townsend (N.E.) vs. J. Pellit (G.), J. Gannon (M.) vs. J. Colandreo (N.E.), B. Works (M.) vs. J. Chaney (N.E.), E. Sheehan (N.E.) vs. G. Wheeler (N.E.), B. Gannon (M.) vs. R. Mosseau (N.E.).

80-Pound Class.
At Georgetown Boys Club—B. Cross (G.) vs. P. Lapoa (W.), E. Kane (N.E.) vs. W. Furr (W.), R. Kelly (G.) vs. B. Howard (W.), B. Yocum (M.) vs. J. Fowler (N.E.), J. Pope (W.), H. Shavatt (N.E.).
At Merrick Boys Club—J. Heatwole (G.) vs. W. Patriarca (W.), C. Justice (W.) vs. B. Jewett (N.E.).

90-Pound Class.
At Merrick Boys Club—C. Alexander (G.) vs. R. Roberts (M.), J. Lyons (N.E.) vs. G. Wheeler (M.), A. Miller (W.) vs. L. Pappazeorge (N.E.).

100-Pound Class.
At Merrick Boys Club—E. Teague (N.E.) vs. N. DePetro (M.), F. Burke (N.E.) vs. E. Gilrod (M.).

110-Pound Class.
At Merrick Boys Club—K. Jordan (W.) vs. E. Napoli (W.), F. Osborne (N.E.) vs. J. Juliano (W.).

120-Pound Class.
At Merrick Boys Club—H. Zanelotti (W.) vs. R. DePetro (M.), J. Carroll (N.E.), vs. H. Herratt (M.).

130-Pound Class.
At Merrick Boys Club—W. France (N.E.) vs. E. Ward (W.).

140-Pound Class.
At Merrick Boys Club—C. Hinckley (N.E.) vs. B. Winters (M.), W. Vermillion (W.), vs. F. Herald (M.), B. Kemp (M.) vs. G. Drake (W.).

Westvaco A. A. Names G. T. Knode President

Special Dispatch to The Post.

Westernport, Md., March 24.—George T. Knode was elected president of the Westvaco Athletic Association yesterday by the new board of directors. He succeeds Edward Warnick. Carl McMillan was elected secretary, succeeding Robert Devore, and Rymer Ferrell was re-elected treasurer.

Four new members were elected to the board of directors at recent elections held in four divisions of the paper mill. They are George Knode, representing pulp mill and bleach plant; Edward Mullan, coating mill machines and color room; Thelma Darr, paper mill girls, and Evers Smith, 6 and 7 machines, beaters and finishers.

Crescent Stickmen Win.

New York, March 24 (U.P.).—The Brooklyn Crescents, champions of the Eastern Amateur Hockey League, this afternoon defeated the Hamilton (Ontario) Tigers before 3,000 at Madison Square Garden, 3 to 2.

Irish Aid Is Named.

Wichita, Kans., March 24 (AP).—Dr. W. M. Jardine, president of the University of Wichita, today announced the appointment of F. Nordy Hoffman, guard on the Notre Dame team in 1922, as assistant director of athletics.

Jefferson Quintet Wins League Title

Defeats Funkstown Team With Rally, 39 to 32.

Special Dispatch to The Post.

Hagerstown, Md., March 24.—spurting in the last half after trailing in the first, the Jefferson Independents, of Jefferson County, W. Va., won the Cumberland Valley basket ball championship by defeating Funkstown, Md., in the final, 39 to 32, here last night.

The first half ended, 18 to 13, in favor of Funkstown, but at the end of the third quarter Jefferson took the lead, 26 to 24, and was never headed.

Jefferson.	G	FG	P	Funkstown.	G	FG	P.
L.Maddox,f..	1	1	3	R.H'maker,f..	1	3	5
Stevens,f....	7	1	15	Boward,f.....	2	0	4
Shipley,c....	1	1	3	Gimple,c.....	8	1	17
H.Maddox,g.	6	2	14	Stotlemyer,g.	1	2	4
League,g....	1	0	2	Fiery,g.....	1	0	2
Alder,g.....	1	0	2	W.H'maker,g.	0	0	0
Totals	17	5	39	Totals	13	6	32

Hoyas' Spring Card Lists 39 Events

11 Baseball Contests Are on Schedule; Opener Slated April 2.

GEORGETOWN UNIVERSITY'S 1935 spring schedule, announced last night by Graduate Manager Gabriel Murphy, shows 39 events, 11 of which are baseball games, 12 tennis matches, 9 golf matches and 7 track meets.

All of Georgetown's home golf matches with Florida, Rollins and Yale will be staged at Congressional Country Club, scene of the national intercollegiates scheduled June 24 to 29, inclusive.

The big athletic program opens on April 2 with the baseball team meeting Dartmouth at the Hilltop.

Georgetown will enter a team in the Penn Relays on April 26 and April 27, and also in the intercollegiates at Cambridge May 31 and June 1.

The schedule follows:
April 2—(Baseball), Dartmouth.
April 4—(Baseball), Harvard.
April 6—(Golf), Rollins.
April 11—(Baseball), Washington College.
April 11—(Golf), Florida.
April 12—(Tennis), Pittsburgh.
April 13—(Tennis), Maryland, at College Park.
April 17—(Baseball), Penn State.
April 26—(Track), Penn relays, at Philadelphia.
April 26—(Baseball), West Virginia.
April 26—(Golf), Pennsylvania, at Princeton, N. J.
April 27—(Golf), Princeton, at Princeton.
April 27—(Track), Penn relays, at Philadelphia.
April 27—(Golf), Williams, at Princeton, N. J.
April 29—(Baseball), Duke.
May 1—(Tennis), North Carolina State.
May 3—(Tennis), Catholic University.
May 4—(Track), Naval Apprentice School, at Williamsburg, Va.
May 4—(Baseball), Maryland, at College Park.
May 7—(Tennis), John Hopkins, at Baltimore.
May 8—(Tennis), V. P. I.
May 9—(Baseball), Washington & Lee.
May 10—(Tennis), Pittsburgh, at Pittsburgh.
May 11—(Golf), Yale.
May 11—(Baseball), Naval Academy, at Annapolis.
May 11—(Track), Richmond, at Richmond.
May 11—(Tennis), West Virginia, at Morgantown.
May 14—(Baseball), Temple.
May 16—(Tennis), Washington and Jefferson.
May 17—(Tennis), Temple.
May 17—(Golf), Harvard, at Boston.
May 18—(Golf), Holy Cross, at Boston.
May 18—(Golf), Dartmouth, at Boston.
May 18—(Baseball), Maryland.
May 18—(Track), West Virginia, at Morgantown.
May 21—(Tennis), Loyola.
May 25—(Tennis), Naval Academy, at Annapolis.
May 31—(Track), intercollegiates, at Cambridge, Mass.
June 1—(Track), intercollegiates, at Cambridge, Mass.

Deremer to Pilot Centerville Reds

Hite Is Reelected Head of Club for 1935.

Special Dispatch to The Post.

Cumberland, Md., March 24.—A former manager, Charles T. Deremer, will pilot the Centerville Reds in the 1935 Interstate Baseball League race.

Deremer, who handled Centerville clubs before the present independent league era, was elected manager at an organization meeting last night at Centerville and consented to come out of retirement to take over the reins.

J. C. Hite was reelected president of the club. William C. Nave retained his post as treasurer, but Wayne Hite was named secretary to succeed Alton Nave. The board of directors is composed of President Hite, P. H. Morris, Walter C. Nave, A. D. Deremer and D. R. Street.

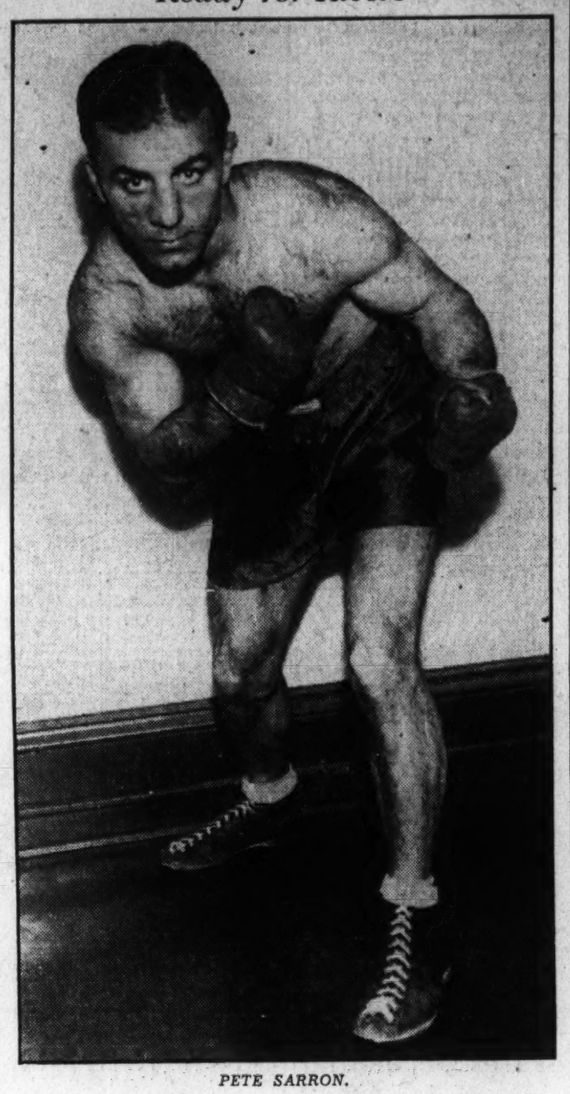
John Hafer managed the Reds in 1933, when they won the Potomac League championship. He resigned in midseason last year and Vernon Elliott, veteran third sacker, had charge of the team during the remainder of the campaign. Elliott will remain with the squad as a player.

Post Mortems . . .

Sir Malcolm Campbell, the English speed king who recently set a new land speed record, will be in Washington for a few hours Wednesday . . . en route from Daytona Beach to New York, where he will embark for home . . . Pitcher Kafkra, of the Army War College, will be given a tryout by Clark Griffith when the Nats arrive here from spring training . . . Griff first became interested in the 20-year-old lad when he pitched a no-hit, no-run game against the Fort Washington nine last year . . . Bill Jackson, defense man on a hockey team in Brockville, Ont., has an artificial leg . . . he lost his leg several years ago, but still is a very good skater and stick handler . . . Si Johnson, of the Cincinnati Reds, fanned 18 batters in a game pitched for Rock Island in 1928 . . . In his first workout for the Joe Louis bout in Detroit, Natie Brown was using one of Louis' former sparmates for an animated punching bag when someone yelled to the dusky heavyweight to "knock his head off" . . . "Ah cain't even find his haid," retaliated the sparring partner who had been pawing about foolishly trying to connect with the elusive weaving and bobbing target . . . and, **Just 25 Years Ago Today:** Princeton defeated Virginia, 5 to 2, in a baseball game played at Charlottesville.

CAMPBELL.

Ready for Rivers



PETE SARRON.

Sarron, Rivers Clash Tonight In Feature

Choice of Referee Will Be Kept Secret, Avoiding Prefight Argument.

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clinching is concerned, show me a Sarron bout which hasn't been sensational. You can't make sensational fights by clinching, and I dare say, Pete clinches less than any other fighter in the ring today."

"So far as the referee is concerned," Erwin concluded, "I think his selection is a matter to be settled entirely by the boxing commission. They are a very capable group in my opinion and I don't think I should even attempt to tell them what to do—and neither should Donovan."

Both boxers completed their training stints Saturday and apparently were in the best of condition.

POST PREDICTIONS.

Bouts are rated from A (the very best) to G (the very worst).

MAIN EVENT—Pete Sarron, Alexandria, Joe Rivers, California, featherweights; 10 rounds. Rated B plus. This one would earn A rating, excepting for the fact that it may prove too one-sided. Sarron was not in the best of condition when he took a close decision from Joe in a previous bout. The Syrian Sazerac is in top shape now and should win handily—perhaps by a technical knockout about midway of the contest.

SEMIFINAL—Elmore Bezenah, New York, vs. Mickey Landis, Scranton, Pa., middleweights; 6 rounds. Rated D. Bezenah hits too hard for Landis.

PRELIMINARIES—Roddy Davis, Washington, vs. Eddie Marks, New York, welterweights; 6 rounds. Rated D. Davis.

Ray (Kid) Ingram, Florida, vs. Tincan Romanelli, New York, lightweights; 6 rounds. Rated E. Ingram.

Buster Wages, Washington, vs. George McCaron, Scranton, Pa., welterweights; 4 rounds. Rated E. Wages.

Grant County Gun Club Creates Board of Nine

Special Dispatch to The Post.

Petersburg, W. Va., March 24.—The Grant County Rod and Gun Club, at a meeting here yesterday, voted to create a board of nine directors to be composed of the club officers, Harrison Shobe, president; C. L. Kimble, vice president, and Julius Thompson, secretary-treasurer, and Thomas Burgess, Floyd Frantz, Grant District; Loren Hott, E. H. Coberly, Milroy District, and T. E. Shaeffer, Union District. The ninth member is to be elected by the Bayard Rod and Gun Club.

The club decided to lease a pond on the property of William Muntzing, Maysville, for bass-rearing purposes.

Valley League Meeting Set On Friday

Only Three Clubs Assured; Holtzman Confident of Success.

Special Dispatch to The Post.

HARRISONBURG, Va., March 24.—With only three clubs assured, the make-up of the Shenandoah Valley League for the coming season remains in doubt until next Friday night when those interested in the loop meet here.

Plans for an eight-club circuit went by the boards last night when Staunton and Waynesboro agreed to stick with the Augusta League if it can be continued. Fort Defiance will retain its franchise but the fourth club may prove a problem. Harrisonburg, of the Valley League, was invited to enter, but refused.

Culpeper, last year's pennant winners; Charlottesville and Harrisonburg are eager to continue the Valley League. Woodstock is said to be willing to retain its franchise if play is limited to the Valley, but this appears impossible with the two Piedmont clubs wanting to continue.

Orange May Enter.

Orange wants to enter the league and may provide the fourth member. Front Royal and Winchester have been invited but indications are one will not enter without the other. The distance between towns is a deciding factor. This phase is what prompted Staunton and Waynesboro to remain in the Augusta League if that can be revived.

The make-up of the Valley League it appears, depends entirely upon whether the Augusta circuit can find a fourth club to complete the circuit. Weyers Cave is reported out, but by the time the season opens may see fit to place a club in the fold and complete the circuit. Staunton is anxious to retain the Augusta circuit because Fort Defiance plays its home games there, giving the fans a game almost every day. Midway, the fifth club in the circuit last season, is said to be out as most of the players are now working at Waynesboro.

Woodstock Willing.

Woodstock is willing to enter an all-valley loop, such as Harrisonburg, Staunton, Waynesboro and Fort Defiance, but is set against the long trips across the mountain to Culpeper and Charlottesville. Unless a valley loop is arranged, Woodstock plans to play independent ball, the same policy adopted by Front Royal and Winchester.

President George Holtzman, of the Valley circuit, is confident he will have a red-hot semi-pro league operating by June 1. His confidence is based on the fact that the three leading clubs last year—Culpeper, Harrisonburg and Charlottesville—made money and Woodstock, at a big disadvantage, broke even.

Marvin Lentz Named To Pilot Landis Club

Special Dispatch to The Post.

Martinsville, Va., March 24.—Marvin Lentz, with Fieldale, of the Bi-State Baseball League last year, has signed a contract to pilot the Landis Club of Carolina Textile League this season, it has been announced.

Lentz, formerly of North Carolina, has been a well-known baseball figure in Bi-State baseball circles for five years. He formerly managed the Fieldale Club. A native of Rockwell, N. C., he attended Lenoir-Rhine College at Hickory, N. C.

Roll-Your-Own Golfer Wins Tourney

G. E. Richards, Inventor of Savings Device, Is Kenwood Victor.

GEORGE E. RICHARDS, the man whose golfing trapeze—a novel device for carrying golf bags and sticks—saves him the trouble of hiring a caddy, won first prize in the blind bogey tournament that officially opened golf activities for the year at Kenwood Golf and Country Club yesterday.

The bespectacled Richards, who believes in rolling his own clubs—posted a 91—18—73.

Tied for second prize were Andy Bain, who had 93—16—77, and Gus Sachlis, with 87—10—77.

Among the uneventful incidents reported at Kenwood was the last-nine crackup of Congressman Numa Montet. The Louisiana Representative shot a glistening 35 to break his own record for the out-going side, but he ran into a streak of tailspin drives and three-putt greens and soared to a 41 on the back nine.

Due to the illness of several members, the Scotch foursome to determine the first and second women's teams at Indian Spring Country Club was postponed.

At Beaver Dam around 75 women vied in the first Scotch foursome of the season. The winners follow:

Mrs. C. E. Purdy, Mrs. W. J. LaBille, Mrs. R. Carl Mitchell, Miss Ellen Kincaid, Mrs. Frank Spates, Mrs. J. J. McCarthy, Mrs. Rex Weaver, Mrs. Charles Griffin, Mrs. R. M. Brown, Mrs. W. C. Hackman, Mrs. Don Smith, Mrs. P. W. Perkins, Miss Elizabeth Leffel, Mrs. William Henderson, Mrs. Joe Savarese, Mrs. Charles Range, Mrs. Charles Buck, Mrs. Joe Gleble, Mrs. Robert Donaldson, Mrs. Jack Goings and Mrs. Will Powers.

H. R. Colwell fell heir to a perfect eagle 3 on the difficult 472-yard fourth hole at Washington Golf and Country Club. It was a drive, a spoon and a 10-foot putt. Mrs. R. N. Sutton scored an unusual birdie 3 on the 318-yard tenth at Washington. She had a nice drive, topped her second, and holed out a 150-yard three iron shot. On the fifteenth her 3 iron hit the pin and stopped 8 inches from the cup—but this time it was a par 5.

Two familiar golfing figures were back in harness yesterday at Washington. Tommy Webb, now working in New Jersey, dropped in for the day, and shot a 74, while his friend, Frank Roesch, former District champion, who has been in ill health for the last six months, got in his first round and scored well for the 14 holes he played.

A 37—38—75 by Arthur Urban, veteran shotmaker, evoked no end of praise from his playing companions, Dr. Larry Otell, Leroy Sasscer and Elliott Spicer. Urban played Indian Spring from the back tees over freshly cut greens and rolled fairways.

That old "Sunday foursome"—Bill White, Johnny Miller, Russell M. Brown and Dave Morris—were together for the first time in several years yesterday at Beaver Dam and the verdict was ' up in favor of White and Miller. Miller did a 77; White, who once was one of Washington's best players, an 85; Brown, an 82, with 6s on the ninth and eighteenth, and Morris, who recently rejoined the club, an 80.

Bridgewater to See Final Game for Title

Special Dispatch to The Post.

Harrisonburg, Va., March 24.—The third and deciding game of the series to decide the championship of Augusta and Rockingham counties will be played at Bridgewater probably Tuesday night.

Bridgewater, Rockingham champions, evened the series last night by defeating Middlebrook, Augusta title winners, 41 to 32. Middlebrook took the first game at Bridgewater by a score of 46 to 41.

Summary of last night's game:

Bridgewater.	G	FG	P	Middlebrook.	G	FG	P
Bradburn,f..	5	1	11	Bowman,f....	3	1	7
R.Flory,f....	5	2	12	Craun,f.....	1	0	2
J.Flory,c....	5	1	11	Hanger,c....	6	3	15
Gladwell,g...	0	1	1	Harris,g....	1	0	2
Myers,g.....	3	0	6	Woodrum,g...	3	0	6
Totals	18	5	41	Totals	14	4	32

Allison Defeats Hess In Year's First Test

Waco, Tex., March 24 (AP).—Wilmer Allison, the nation's No. 1 ranking tennis player, started the 1935 season here today with an easy 6—3, 6—2 victory over Wilbur Hess, Rice Institute star.

His blistering volleys were too much for the college player. About 500 saw the exhibition.

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Champion Okla. Aggies' Coach Never Wrestled in His Life

TOM CLAYTON, Y. M. C. A. wrestling coach who took his team to Lehigh University for the National Collegiate championships that they might learn more about the mat game, came home last night with only words of praise for the champion Oklahoma Aggies.

Clayton said every Oklahoma entry in the big event was well trained in the rudiments of wrestling, and attributed their versatility to the uncanny coaching of E. C. Gallegher, the man who has tutored them for the last 20 years and has seen his teams lose only one meet during that time.

The Y. M. C. A. coach said Gallegher instructs his men in working their strongest muscles against the weaker muscles of their opponents.

"And that is the secret of Oklahoma's remarkable mat record," Clayton added, "this Gallegher never wrestled in his life; he studied books on anatomy, and picked up pointers here and there."

Harris Worried By Hadley's Sore Arm

Trainer Martin, However, Minimizes Ailment of Nats' Hurler.

By a Staff Correspondent.

BILOXI, Miss., March 24.—Soreness in the pitching arm of Irving Hadley, regarded as the man who will be Washington's most active pitcher during the 1935 season, gave Manager Bucky Harris cause for concern tonight.

Trainer Mike Martin diagnosed the ailment as a cold and is applying heat treatments, but Harris registered mild alarm yesterday when Hadley showed little of his famed speed against Kansas City at Mobile. He was pushing the ball up to the plate instead of whipping it across.

As in the case of the hysteria here over Earl Whitehill's recent sore arm, Trainer Martin minimized the seriousness of Hadley's ailment and is certain the big right-hander will be ready when the season opens. He will not pitch in exhibition games for at least a week, however.

First Baseman Joe Kuhel played three innings of today's game against Albany despite soreness in his left ankle, which he fractured last season. The injured member had improved, but he was limping slightly from a stone bruise on his right foot.

Cue Exhibitions Slated.

Leon Yonders, Baltimore's masked marvel, will continue his exhibition billiard matches for the third straight week at White Palace Billiard Parlors, 314 Ninth street northwest.

Mid-Atlantic P. G. A. Pros Vie Today

Mackenzie, Host, to Seek Third Victory in Row at Congressional.

A GOODLY number of the Middle Atlantic P. G. A. members will converge on Congressional Country Club's lengthy course for an informal 18-hole sweepstakes today, starting at 1 p. m.

With Roland Mackenzie in the role of host, George Diffenbaugh, of Indian Spring; Al Treder, Mahor, newly elected P. G. A. president; Walter (Red) Cunningham, Burning Tree; Mel Shorey, Ralph Beach, Suburban; Carroll MacMaster, Woodholme; Tony Sylvester, Bannockburn; Cliff Spencer, Beaver Dam, and a number of other pros and their assistants will vie for honors with the young Congressional instructor.

Mackenzie, already having won first prizes in sweepstakes at Kenwood and Indian Spring, the first with a 70, the next with a 72, will attempt to make it three straight.

Absent from the proceedings will be Al Houghton, Kenwood pro, who left last night for Pinehurst, N. C., to prepare himself for the big North and South championship opening Wednesday.

Retains Cue Crown.

Special Dispatch to The Post.

Cumberland, Md., March 24.—Defeating Charles Gover, of Frostburg, 150 to 96, at the Queen City billard parlor here last night, the veteran Tommy Maus successfully defended his county pocket billiard championship crown.

Generals' Nine In Six Games This Week

State Road Trip to Open Spring Sports Season in Old Dominion.

By the Associated Press.

RICHMOND, Va., March 24.—Off to the baseball wars, Washington and Lee's doughty Generals will swing across eastern Virginia with a six-game program this week to usher in the spring sports season in the Old Dominion.

Two games are booked with William and Mary's Indians, coached this year by the former Indian ace, Bill Scott; two are carded with the Medical College nine, and a pair of week-end engagements are scheduled against the potentially strong University of Richmond team.

Before the week is over Coach Dick Smith probably will have found the answer to the question that is puzzling him—how well his rookie pitchers will stand up under fire.

Exceptional Rookies.

He has a pair of exceptional twirlers in Joe Pette and Capt. George Short, but they'll have to have help from Emerson Dickman, Alexander McIntosh and Gilbert Lowry, a trio of sophomores, if the Generals are to move successfully through their ambitious schedule.

Similarly, William and Mary's veterans, Elliott and Scott, will bear the brunt of the mound work, with Franklin, Zable and Dailey to help them. The Indians have shifted their catcher, Jester, to first base and moved big Waddey Stewart behind the plate in an effort to plug up a hole in the infield.

After their Monday and Tuesday tilts with William and Mary, the Generals will go to Richmond for Wednesday and Thursday engagements with the Medical College nine and continue their capital city warfare with Richmond's Spiders Friday and Saturday.

Eager for Revenge.

The Spiders, eager to gain revenge for the whipping administered last season by the Generals—the only defeat at the hands of a Southern Conference member—were worried about the left side of the infield, with newcomers slated to start at third base and shortstop. Coach Mac Pitt thought he had the problem solved when he moved Tom Phillips, a pitcher and potent bat wielder, to shortstop, but Phillips broke his leg in practice and will be out for the rest of the season.

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By Clayland T. Morgan.

Motion pictures and colored slides recently procured will serve Mr. Morgan in introducing his listeners to present-day France. Famous chateaux, the French country-side, several trips from Paris and journeys to Cognac, Chartres, to old Normandy, a day in Deauville, the Riviera and other intriguing places. Mr. Morgan occupies a prominent position in business life both in France and the United States. He is a soldier, educator, journalist and well known lecturer on two continents.

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The Weather

Today's Sun and Tide Table

(Furnished by United States Department of Commerce, Coast and Geodetic Survey.)

	A.M.	P.M.
Sun rises	6:05	
Sun sets		6:24
High tide	11:16	11:46
Low tide	5:21	6:18

Weather Conditions.

U. S. Dept of Agri., Weather Bureau.
Washington, Sunday, March 24—8 p. m.

Forecast for the District of Columbia, mostly cloudy Monday followed by showers beginning Monday night or Tuesday; warmer Tuesday; light variable winds becoming moderate southerly Tuesday.

For Virginia, mostly cloudy Monday, followed by showers beginning Monday night or Tuesday; warmer Tuesday.

For Maryland, mostly cloudy Monday followed by showers beginning Monday night or Tuesday; slowly rising temperature Monday; warmer Tuesday.

Conditions.

The disturbance that was central over St. Lawrence Valley Saturday night has moved eastward with considerably increased intensity, being centered tonight about 300 miles east-southeast of Halifax, Nova Scotia, S. S. Seanstatec, 28.31 inches. A disturbance of little extent and marked intensity extends from southeastern Alaska southeastward to the Mississippi Valley, Edmonton, Alberta, 28.82 inches and St. Joseph, Mo., 29.62 inches. These disturbances have been attended by rain in the Pacific States, portions of the north Atlantic States and the upper Mississippi Valley and from Oklahoma and southern Kansas eastward to the Virginia and North Carolina coasts. High pressure prevails over California, Fresno, 30.24 inches and from Hudson Bay southward to the upper Ohio Valley and over Florida and the eastern Gulf of Mexico, Chesterfield Inlet, District of Keewatin, 30.18 inches and Tampa, Fla., 30.10 inches. The temperature has fallen in the Ohio Valley, Tennessee, the lower lake region and the Appalachian region, while it has risen from Manitoba and Saskatchewan southward to Texas.

Local Weather Report.

Temperature—Midnight, 62; 2 a. m., 64; 4 a. m., 58; 6 a. m., 56; 8 a. m., 56; 10 a. m., 55; 12 noon, 57; 2 p. m., 63; 4 p. m., 65; 6 p. m., 64; 8 p. m., 62; 10 p. m., 54; highest, 65; lowest, 54.

Relative humidity—8 a. m., 50; 2 p. m., 35; 8 p. m., 41. Hours of sunshine, 10.5. Per cent of possible sunshine, 85.

Departures from Normal.

Accumulated excess of temperature since January 1, 1935, 205 degrees. Excess of temperature since March 1, 1935, 205 degrees.

Accumulated excess of precipitation since January 1, 1935, 0.36 of an inch. Deficiency of precipitation since March 1, 1935, 0.46 inch.

Temperatures and precipitations.

Temperautres and precipitation for 24 hours ended Sunday, 8 p. m.:

	Highest	Lowest	Sun. night.	Rain-fall.
Washington, D. C.	65	54	62	0.06
Asheville, N. C.	72	60	58	....
Atlanta, Ga.	74	64	60	....
Atlantic City, N. J.	62	48	54	....
Baltimore, Md.	68	52	58	....
Birmingham, Ala.	84	66	68	....
Bismarck, N. Dak.	60	28	54	....
Boston, Mass.	50	40	42	0.01
Buffalo, N. Y.	36	32	30	....
Chicago, Ill.	50	36	44	0.60
Cincinnati, Ohio	60	52	56	....
Cheyenne, Wyo.	58	28	48	....
Cleveland, Ohio	40	32	40	....
Davenport, Iowa	62	40	58	0.06
Denver, Colo.	64	44	52	....
Des Moines, Iowa	66	38	62	....
Detroit, Mich.	46	28	40	....
Duluth, Minn.	34	28	32	....
El Paso, Texas	78	60	74	....
Galveston, Texas	74	68	70	....
Helena, Mont.	52	30	50	....
Indianapolis, Ind.	60	40	58	....
Jacksonville, Fla.	90	64	80	....
Kansas City, Mo.	78	52	74	....
Little Rock, Ark.	82	66	76	....
Los Angeles, Calif.	60	46	56	0.66

DIED.

AVERY—On Sunday, March 24, 1935, at Emergency Hospital, MAURICE HUSSEY, beloved husband of Evelyn Pant Avery.
Notice of funeral later.

BAKER—On Sunday, March 24, 1935, at 12:35 a. m. at her residence, 719 Eighth street southwest, ANNIE E., beloved wife of James M. Baker.
Funeral from Fifth Baptist Church, E street southwest, between Sixth and Seventh street southwest, on Tuesday, March 26, at 2 p. m. Interment at Congressional Cemetery. Relatives and friends invited.

BRUCE—On Saturday, March 23, 1935, FANNIE E., beloved wife of Daniel W. Bruce and mother of Alice E. Hansen and Wharton J. Bruce, aged sixty-two years.
Funeral from the Grace Baptist Church, South Carolina avenue and Ninth street southeast, on Tuesday, March 26, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends invited. Remains resting at the Deal funeral home, 816 H street northeast. Interment Cedar Hill Cemetery.

BROWNELL—Passed away after a lingering illness, on Friday, March 22, 1935, at her residence, 1416 I street southeast, SARAH R., the beloved wife of Samuel W. Brownell. She is also survived by three daughters, Sadie Crisler, Esther Walsh and Mrs. Ruth Knapp.
Funeral from H. M. Padgett's funeral home, 131 Eleventh street southeast, on Monday, March 25, at 2:30 p. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment Congressional Cemetery.

DEVERS—On Friday, March 22, 1935, at his residence, 424 P street northwest, NATHAN HENRY DEVERS, beloved brother of Mrs. Martha E. Brown.
Funeral from the above residence on Monday, March 25, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment Glenwood Cemetery. Services by the W. W. Chambers Co.

FELLHEIMER—On Saturday, March 23, 1935, at his residence, 1362 Parkwood place northwest, LOUIS, beloved husband of Sophia Fellheimer and devoted father of Camille Fellheimer and Mrs. Maud F. Paul.
Funeral from his late residence on Tuesday, March 26, at 10:30 a. m. Interment Washington Hebrew Congregation Cemetery.

FLEISHMAN—On Friday, March 22, 1935, at 9:30 p. m., at her residence, the Portner Apts., Fifteenth and U streets northwest, ANNIE P., beloved wife of Charles Fleishman and beloved mother of Mrs. Mary M. Walton, Harry A., Charles R., Raymond F. and Lawrence R. Fleishman.
Funeral from the chapel of Joseph Gawler's Sons, 1750 Pennsylvania avenue northwest, on Monday, March 25, at 2:30 p. m. Relatives and friends invited.

HADLEY—On Sunday, March 24, 1935, at his residence, 2332 First street northwest, WARREN B., beloved husband of Flora M. Hadley.
Funeral services from his late residence on Tuesday, March 26, at 2:30 p. m. Friends invited to attend. Interment private.

HESSLER—On Sunday, March 24, 1935, at Providence Hospital, MARY MARGARET, daughter of the late Francis and Mary Hessler and sister of Miss Agnes B. Hessler.
Funeral from her late residence, 1358 C street southwest, on Wednesday, March 27, at 9:30 a. m., thence to St. Dominic's Church, where requiem mass will be sung at 10 o'clock for the repose of her soul. Relatives and friends invited. Interment Mount Olivet Cemetery.

KENNEDY—On Saturday, March 23, 1935, FRANK B., beloved husband of the late Elizabeth Kennedy.
Funeral from the residence of his son, Clyde W. Kennedy, 3058 Monroe street northeast, on Tuesday, March 26, at 8:30 a. m. Requiem mass at St. Francis De Sales Church at 9 a. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment Mount Olivet Cemetery.

KINTZ—On Saturday, March 23, 1935, at her residence, 1518 Monroe street northwest, MOLLIE C., beloved wife of Alanson Wilder Kintz and mother of Elmer McD. Kintz.
Funeral services at her late residence on Monday, March 25, at 2 p. m. Interment Cedar Hill Cemetery.

McKENNEY—On Saturday, March 23, 1935, at 4:23 a. m., at George Washington University Hospital, CHARLES ALBERT McKENNEY in the sixty-fifth year of his age.
Funeral from his late residence, 1523 Rhode Island avenue northwest, on Monday, March 25, at 3 p. m. Interment Oak Hill Cemetery.

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Faith in Orchestra's Future Burns High in Veteran Player

Herman Rakeman, Participant in Futile Efforts Since 1900 to Establish a Washington Symphony, Is Confident of Present Campaign.

If Herman Rakeman had learned to say "die" during his younger years, he wouldn't be taking much interest in the movement now in progress to establish firmly a symphony orchestra in Washington. He would have lost heart in any of a half-dozen previous efforts to carry through such a project.

But Mr. Rakeman never said "die." So after 40 years of campaigning for an orchestra, he approaches the current drive to raise $100,000 for sustaining the National Symphony Orchestra not discouraged, but confident of success.

"After all," observed this violinist teacher, who has had a studio here all these years, "the people here can have a symphony orchestra if they want one. And that is just the point. I can tell you well enough they didn't use to want an orchestra. But now the size of the audiences we have been drawing tells me they do."

Thus the National Symphony's veteran member began a story about making a dream come true. It is a story in which he has played several roles. As one orchestra after another was born, only to live a short time, then die, Herman Rakeman always was there. Sometimes it was as violinist, sometimes as conductor, and sometimes as capitalist—if you call investing an unpaid salary in the orchestra's capital stock capitalistic enterprise.

Player in 1900.

On December 16, 1900, Capt. William H. Santelman, late leader of the United States Marine Band, presented in public an orchestra which he had formed from the best musicians in his band and from local civilian players. It was the first appearance of a Washington symphony orchestra. And Herman Rakeman played in that concert. But the organization was short-lived.

Then Reginald Dekoven, composer-musician, who wrote the operetta, "Robin Hood," came to Washington and enlisted Mr. Rakeman's help in organizing a new orchestra. This ensemble gave some brilliant concerts, but Dekoven had spent all the money he had in maintaining the orchestra before he could get any one else to help him.

Then Mr. Rakeman took charge of the orchestra himself and, as conductor, gave a concert at the Columbia Theater January 7, 1910. But he couldn't attract money into the coffers any more successfully than could his predecessors. So the orchestra floundered after two more concerts.

On Hand for New Try.

After this there were other attempts. Mr. Rakeman was in all of them. He still believed in the day when Washington would have its own symphony. A new organization was formed in 1930 and the day rehearsals started in the Musicians' Union hall, he was present.

Now, because under Dr. Hans Kindler's direction the orchestra has gained more momentum than any of the previous groups, Herman Rakeman, for one, is sure his dream is coming true.

Rakeman was with the orchestra when it left Washington last night for a three-day concert tour. Monday night the 80 musicians play in Asheville, N. C. Tuesday they will take part in the Shandon Choral Society's annual spring festival at Columbia, S. C., and on Wednesday they will play at the University of Virginia.

Back in Washington Thursday the orchestra men will begin rehearsals for their final concert of the season, next Sunday afternoon in Constitution Hall.

Premier Organizing Cabinet in Belgium

Brussels, March 24 (AP).—Paul van Zeeland, Belgium's premier, plunged into the task of organizing a cabinet today with the backing of Catholic, Liberal and Socialist groups, which announced they have reached an "agreement in principle" to cooperate with the new government.

Van Zeeland hopes to finish organizing the cabinet tomorrow. The "Nationalist Emergency Government" is what it will be christened. He reputedly is not whole-heartedly in defense of keeping the currency on gold.

Fowler Abduction Is Laid to Rebels

Rescue of U. S. Engineer in Mexico Uncertain.

By the Associated Press.

Mexico City, March 24.—With rescue prospects still uncertain, the first authentic story of the kidnaping of Mark Fowler, American mining engineer, reached here today. A rebel band swept down on Fowler's mining camp in a hail of bullets, seriously wounding one man and abducting the American.

American Embassy officials were divided in opinion today regarding the progress of efforts to free Fowler. George Shaw, American consul at San Luis Potosi, went to the state of Zacatecas yesterday and failed to return on schedule this morning.

Some at the embassy believed his absence indicated he finally had contacted the kidnapers of the Nebraska city man while others believed the negotiations had struck a snag.

Likewise no news was received at the embassy or in Agua Calientes regarding Mrs. Louise McKinney, 25, who rode alone yesterday into the state of Zacatecas in a single-handed attempt to locate Louis Vremsak, who she says was kidnaped while they were treasure hunting in the Mexican hills ten days ago.

Vital Statistics

Births.

Walter J. and Evangeline Reck, boy.
Vincent W. and Irene V. Gillen, girl.
Edson A. and Virginia I. Edson, boy.
Franklin M. and Ethel Robertson, boy.
Andrew J. and Cecelia Middleton, girl.
John and Eloise Belford, boy.
George and Gussie Bell, boy.
Russell and Mary Bacon, girl.
John and Miriam Howard, girl.
Theodore and Lenora Price, girl.
Jose and Pernilla Holbrook, girl.
Louis and Zelima Lee, boy.
Robert and Alberta Jones, boy.
Gofney and Corrine Brown, girl.
Lafayette and Mary Skinner, boy.
William M. and Mildred G. Taylor, boy.
William and Ethel Harris, girl.
Frederick and Fanny Grinage, boy.
William E. and Hattie E. Gaskins, boy.
Quay and Maxine Martin, boy.
John and Ethel Longstreet, boy.
Lewis and Maranda Yates, boy.
Alonzo and Georgia Robinson, boy.

Deaths.

Annie E. Simpson, 91, Grafton Hotel.
Elizabeth Stalnecker, 88, 143 Carroll st.
John R. Gibbons, 78, 1140 Buchanan st. nw.
Simon D. Bronson, 77, 1724 Park rd. nw.
Nathan H. Devers, 77, 424 P st. nw.
Catherine Meade, 75, Walter Reed Hosp.
Mary E. Gwinn, 72, 115 Kentucky ave. se.
Fritz B. Kennedy, 69, Gallinger Hosp.
Sarah R. Brownell, 67, 1116 I st. nw.
Mary C. Mason, 67, 1317 Kennedy st. nw.
Max Laurie, 66, Georgetown Hosp.
Charles A. McKenney, 64, George Washington Hosp.
Fannie Bruce, 62, Garfield Hosp.
Corey Webster, 56, Garfield Hosp.
Elmer C. Hillman, 46, Walter Reed Hosp.
Charlotte Whitty, 94, Home for Aged and Infirm.
Hattie E. Lee, 79, 2908 M st. nw.
Dollie A. Moore, 75, 1410 T st. nw.
George Washington, 69, St. Elizabeths Hosp.
Jennie Pratt, 62, 407 A st. ne.
Eugene Graham, 56, Gallinger Hosp.
Augustus Johnson, 55, Casualty Hosp.
Laura Hicks, 55, 749 Park rd. nw.
Pearl Branson, 33, Gallinger Hosp.
Eliza Davis, 31, 28 O'Brien court nw.
Lewis Freedmen's Hosp.
George Carson, 27, Casualty Hosp.
Isaac Smith, 4 months, Gallinger Hosp.

AUCTION SALES

THURSDAY, MARCH 28, 1935—
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TRUSTEES' SALE OF THREE-STORY BRICK DWELLING, NO. 1416 E STREET NORTHWEST, TOGETHER WITH CERTAIN FURNITURE AND FURNISHINGS CONTAINED THEREIN.

By virtue of a deed of trust recorded in Liber No. 6391, folio 543, et seq., one of the land records of the District of Columbia, and at the request of party secured thereby, the undersigned trustees, will offer for sale by public auction, in front of premises, on THURSDAY, THE TWENTY-EIGHTH DAY OF MARCH, 1935, AT THREE-THIRTY O'CLOCK P. M., the following-described property in the District of Columbia, to wit: All of lot 37 and the west 6 feet 6 inches of lot 38, in square 378, as per plat recorded in Liber 17, folio 197, of the records of the office of the Surveyor of the District of Columbia; also known as lot 44 in an incomplete subdivision made by John A. Smith and others of said square 378 as per plat recorded in Liber J. H. K., folio 237, of the aforesaid Surveyor's office records; together with certain furniture and furnishings contained therein.

TERMS OF SALE: Cash. A deposit of $300 required of purchaser at sale. Examination of title, conveyancing, recording, revenue stamps and notarial fees at cost of purchaser. Terms to be complied with within thirty days from day of sale, otherwise trustees reserve the right to resell property at risk and cost of defaulting purchaser, after five days' advertisement of such resale in some newspaper published in Washington, D. C., or deposit may be forfeited, or without forfeiting deposit trustees may avail themselves of any legal or equitable rights against defaulting purchaser.

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TRUSTEE'S SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE BEING A TWO-STORY BRICK DWELLING, CONTAINING SEVEN ROOMS AND BATH, ALSO GARAGE, KNOWN AS 1739 MASSACHUSETTS AVENUE SOUTHEAST.

By virtue of a certain deed of trust recorded in liber No. 6162 at folio 378 of the land records of the District of Columbia and at the request of the party secured thereby, the undersigned will sell at public auction in front of the premises on TUESDAY, THE SECOND DAY OF APRIL, 1935, AT THREE O'CLOCK P. M., the following described land and premises situate in the District of Columbia and being lot numbered one hundred and twenty-one (121) in the subdivision by Thomas A. Jameson in square numbered eleven hundred (1100) as per plat recorded in liber No. 17, folio 101, of the records of the Office of the Surveyor for the District of Columbia, except so much of said lot as was dedicated for public alley as shown on plat recorded in liber No. 88, folio 32, in said surveyor's office records.

TERMS OF SALE: Said property is subject to a prior deed of trust securing an indebtedness of $4,500 and said property will be sold subject to said deed of trust indebtedness. Of the purchase price over and above said deed of trust $750 is to be paid in cash, and the balance to be secured by second deed of trust on the property sold, payable in monthly installments of $60, including interest at the rate of 6 per cent, said payment to also include interest on the first trust, or all cash at the option of the purchaser. Interest and taxes to be paid or adjusted to the date of sale. A deposit of $250 will be required at the time of sale. All conveyancing, recording, revenue stamps, etc., at the cost of purchaser. Good title or no sale. Terms of sale to be complied with within thirty (30) days from day of sale, otherwise deposit will be forfeited and property resold at risk and cost of defaulting purchaser after five (5) days' advertisement of such resale in some newspaper published in Washington, D. C.

WILLIAM P. BENSON,
Surviving Trustee.
925 Fifteenth street northwest, Washington, D. C.
P—mar21,22,23,25,26,28,29,30,apr1,2

AUCTION SALES

(Continued.)

THURSDAY, APRIL 18, 1935—
THOS. J. OWEN & SON, Auctioneers, 1431 EYE ST. N.W.

Trustee's Sale of Improved Real Estate, Known as the Arcade or Arcadia Properties, Fourteenth Street and Park Road Northwest, Consisting of a Three-story Building Fronting on Fourteenth Street, Occupied by Market, Stores, Bowling Alleys, Billiard Room, and by a Ball Room; also Addition Thereto Used as a Public Garage with Entrance on Park Road, and also Consisting of a Three-story Apartment House and Store Building, Containing Six Apartments and Two Stores, Fronting on Park Road; also Properties Known as 1410-1420 Park Road Northwest, Containing Five Stores and Three Apartments; Together With Certain Accessories and Equipment.

By virtue of a certain deed of trust executed by Washington Arcade Company, and duly recorded in Liber 6078, folio 179 et seq., one of the land records of the District of Columbia, and pursuant to an order for foreclosure and sale thereunder entered by the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia, on the 19th day of December, 1934, as amended by order of said court dated March 8, 1935, in Equity Cause No. 54772, the undersigned trustee will sell at public auction, in the front entrance of the premises on Fourteenth Street, on THURSDAY, THE EIGHTEENTH OF APRIL, 1935, AT TWO O'CLOCK P. M., the following property as set forth and described in said deed of trust: All that tract or parcel of land, together with improvements, easements, rights, ways and appurtenances thereunto belonging, situate, lying and being in the County of Washington, District of Columbia: Lot numbered five hundred and twenty-five (525) in Harry K. Bliss' subdivision of part of lot numbered twenty-nine (29) of John Sherman's subdivision of part of "Mount Pleasant," as per plat recorded in the office of the surveyor for the District of Columbia, in Liber County 17, at folio 14; said property formerly known for purposes of assessment and taxation as lot numbered five hundred and twenty-five (525) in square numbered twenty-six hundred and seventy-four (2674). Lot numbered seven hundred and six (706) in the combination made by New Arcade Company of lot and parts of lot in John Sherman's subdivision of "Pleasant Plains," as per plat of said combination recorded in the office of the surveyor for the District of Columbia, in Liber 62, at folio 31, except the rear or west 5 feet of said lot condemned and taken for alley purposes by proceedings in District Court Cause No. 1553, in the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia, and shown on plat in said surveyor's office, in Liber 74, at folio 189, and being also known for purposes of assessment and taxation as lot 844, in square 2674; subject to the right of way for alley purposes, as set out and described in agreement recorded in Liber 5178, at folio 114, among the land records of the District of Columbia. Also all furniture, fixtures, engines, boilers, machinery, belting, shafting, tanks, pipes and fittings, electrical apparatus, refrigerating machines condensers, coolers, tanks, refrigerating boxes, counters, stalls, incinerator, pool tables, billiard tables, bowling alleys, chairs, piano and all accessories and equipment of every description, which The Riggs National Bank as trustee, as aforesaid, has a right to sell and convey under the terms of said deed of trust. Together with all and singular the tenements, hereditaments and appurtenances belonging or in any way appertaining to the aforesaid property or any part thereof, with the reversion and reversions, remainder and remainders, rents, issues and profits thereof, and all the estate, right, title, interest and claims whatsoever at law or in equity, which the Riggs National Bank as trustee, as aforesaid, has a right to sell and convey under the terms of said deed of trust. Subject, however, to all existing leases, tenancies and rent agreements, the nature and extent of which will be made known at the time of sale.

Terms of sale: One-fifth of the purchase money to be paid in cash, balance in four equal installments, payable in one, two, three and four years, with interest at 5 per cent per annum, payable semi-annually from day of sale, secured by first deed of trust upon the property sold, or all cash, at the option of the purchaser. A deposit of $10,000 in cash or certified check on a local bank or trust company will be required at time of sale. Examination of title, conveyancing, recording, revenue stamps, etc., at cost of purchaser. Terms of sale to be complied with within thirty days after ratification by the court, otherwise the trustee reserves the right to resell the property at the risk and cost of defaulting purchaser after five days' advertisement of such resale in some newspaper published in Washington, D. C., or deposit may be forfeited, or without forfeiting deposit trustee may avail themselves of any legal or equitable rights against the defaulting purchaser. Taxes, rents, insurance and water rent to be adjusted to date of sale. The sale hereunder shall be made subject to the ratification by the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia in said equity cause.

THE RIGGS NATIONAL BANK OF WASHINGTON, D. C., Trustee.
By SIDNEY F. TALIAFERRO,
Vice President and Trust Officer.
(Seal.) Attest:
D. J. CALLAHAN, Jr.,
Assistant Cashier.
P—Ma.21,25,29,apl.6,10,16,18

TUESDAY, APRIL 2, 1935—
THOMAS J. OWEN & SON, Auctioneers, 1431 Eye Street N.W.

TRUSTEES' SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE, BEING A TWO-STORY BRICK DWELLING, CONTAINING SIX ROOMS AND BATH, ALSO BUILDING IN REAR, KNOWN AS 638 QUINCY STREET NORTHWEST.

By virtue of a certain deed of trust recorded in Liber No. 6534, at folio 253, of the land records of the District of Columbia, and at the request of the party secured thereby, the undersigned will sell at public auction in front of the premises on TUESDAY, THE SECOND DAY OF APRIL, 1935, AT THREE-THIRTY O'CLOCK P. M., the following-described land and premises situate in the District of Columbia, and being lot numbered ninety-one (91) in square numbered twenty-nine hundred and one (2901), in the subdivision made by Thomas A. Jameson, as per plat recorded in Liber No. 79, at folio 86, of the records of the office of the surveyor for the District of Columbia.

TERMS OF SALE: Said property is subject to a prior deed of trust securing an indebtedness of $4,750.00, now past due, and said property will be sold subject to said deed of trust indebtedness. Of the purchase price over and above said deed of trust $750.00 is to be paid in cash, and the balance to be secured by second deed of trust on the property sold, payable in monthly installments of $65.00, including interest at the rate of 6 per cent, said payment to also include interest on the first trust, or all cash at the option of the purchaser. Interest and taxes to be paid or adjusted to the date of sale. A deposit of $250.00 will be required at the time of sale. All conveyancing, recording, revenue stamps, etc., at the cost of purchaser. Good title or no sale. Terms of sale to be complied with within thirty (30) days from day of sale, otherwise deposit will be forfeited and property resold at risk and cost of defaulting purchaser after five (5) days' advertisement of such resale in some newspaper published in Washington, D. C.

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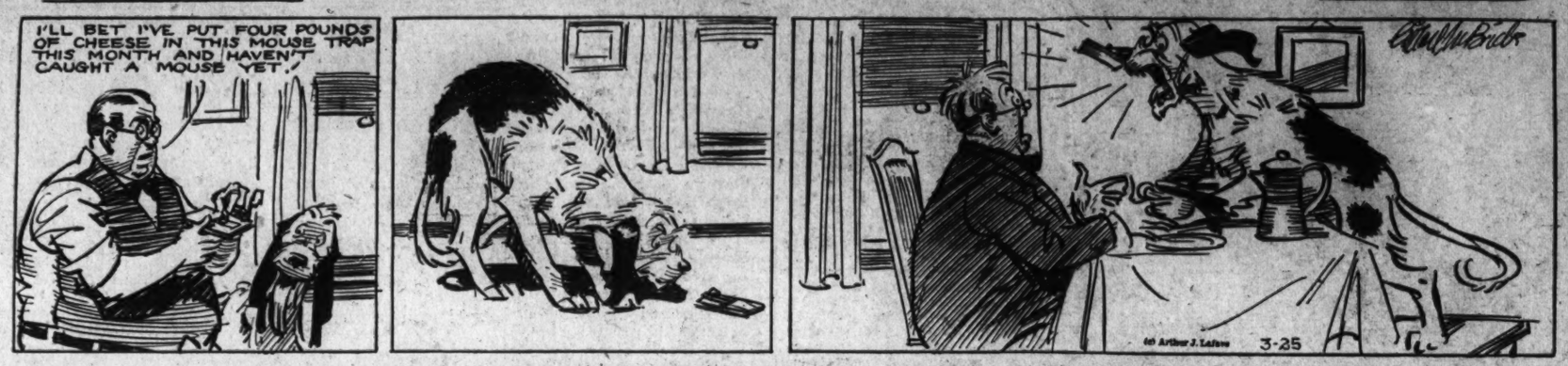

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BENNY Something to Worry About. By J. Carver Pusey

"Cap" Stubbs Offer Withdrawn By Edwina

Today's Crossword Puzzle

ACROSS.

1 Pertaining to a lobe
6 Let the bait fall gently on the water
9 Find the sum of
12 Brazilian parrot
13 Self
14 Obstruct
15 Mediterranean sailing vessel
16 Mark denoting that C is to be pronounced like S
18 Makers of certain articles of food
20 Gives off fumes
21 Depression between mountain peaks
23 Understand
24 Stanza
25 Impressed with wonder and fear
27 Acid fruit
29 By the side of
31 Brings into line
35 Enticed
37 Make well
38 Flexible palm stem; variant
41 Male sheep
43 Entagle
44 Prepare for publication
45 Distant
47 Controversial
49 Peeled
52 Before
53 Behave
54 Flush with success
55 Guided
56 Word of consent
57 Temporary stoppage

DOWN.

1 Not rigid or strict
2 Metalliferous rock
3 Talks like a child
4 Region
5 Places for hanging things
6 Edict
7 Eons
8 Seed container
9 More competent
10 Valleys
11 Male duck
17 Peaceful
19 Fisher for eels
21 Public vehicle
22 Be under obligation
24 Iron block in an ore-crushing machine
26 Enlarge
28 Term of address
30 Press for payment
32 Figure
33 Epoch
34 Coterie
36 Builds
38 Drive away
39 Idolize
40 Covered with pieces of baked clay
42 Acted out of sorts
45 Cereal
46 Story
48 Spring month
50 Greek letter
51 Former title of the governor of Algiers

YESTERDAY'S ANSWER.

A	R	U	T		B	L	A	S	T		S	A	L	A
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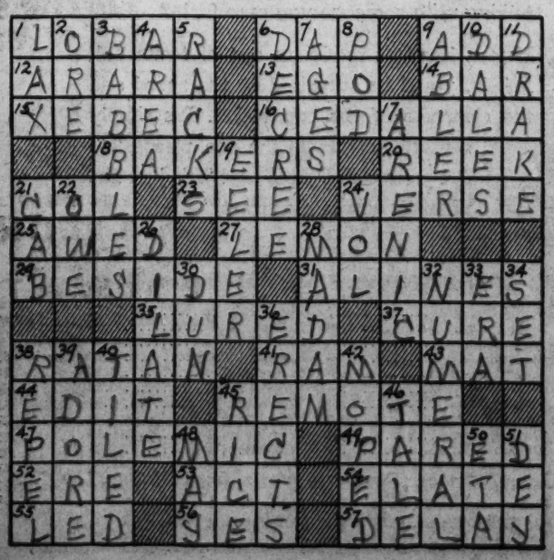

Walt Mason, Himself

Boycott.

The merchant finds his trade is shrinking, the people don't come in and buy; he does a lot of worried thinking, but can not place the reason why. His stock is just as good as ever, including codfish, prunes and cheese; his clerks are diligent and clever, and always try their best to please. A lot of old time trusty patrons now pass his door and don't look in; a lot of money-spending matrons are unresponsive to his grin. He lies awake at night to ponder, in vain, the riddle o'er and o'er; his customers go over yonder to purchase in a rival's store. He said to me, "What is the matter that all my friends have turned me down? When they would blow themselves they scatter to other stores throughout the town. What have I done that friends and neighbors now treat me like an outcast scout, nor spend the proceeds of their labors to buy my fine imported kraut?" "You keep a dog that's always sassing and snarling harshly," I replied, "and he runs out at people passing and strives for samples of their hide. And at their heels he keeps on barking, and raises quite a howdydo, and I have heard such folks remarking that they won't buy their goods from you. I've seen you on your front porch grinning when that dog tried to bite my shoes; no wonder that your trade is thinning, no wonder that you have the blues." When he went home he took two sabres, a shotgun and a lethal bomb, and said, "To soothe offended neighbors I'll blow that dog to Kingdom Come."

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APPLE MARY *Post Comics on the Air—Sundays, 8:45 a. m.—WMAL* By Martha Orr

APPLE MARY'S PLAN TO KEEP HER RETURN TO WEALTH A SECRET, HAS BROUGHT BILL BIFF AND SPROCKETT TO BLOWS. MARY AND DENNIE, HAPPILY IGNORANT OF THIS DISASTER, ARE PREPARING FOR DENNIE'S RETURN HOME.
DENNIE, THE DOCTOR SAID YOU MIGHT BE ABLE TO GO HOME TOMORROW!
GEE, THAT'S KEEN, GRAN'MA. DID HE SAY I COULD WALK SOON?
YOU'LL HAVE TO GET STRONGER, FIRST, THEN USE CRUTCHES FOR AWHILE. YOU WON'T MIND THAT, WILL YOU?
I'LL SAY I WON'T. GEE, REMEMBER THAT BOY WHO LIVED ACROSS THE STREET FROM US? HE HAD 'EM, AN' HE COULD PLAY WITH THE OTHER KIDS.
BUT YOU DON'T LOOK VERY HAPPY, GRAN'MA. IS IT BECAUSE I'LL HAVE TO USE CRUTCHES?
GOODNESS, NO. I WAS ONLY WONDERING WHY I HAVEN'T HEARD FROM MR. SPROCKETT. I'D THINK MY PLACE IN GREENACRES WOULD BE SOLD NOW.
3-25
MARTHA ORR

THE BUNGLE FAMILY On a Visit By Harry J. Tuthill

AN IDOL LEFT BEHIND BY A MYSTIC NEIGHBOR PROVED SO EFFECTIVE IN SMALL MATTERS THAT GEORGE TRIED A BIG WISH.
...AND I WISH WE'D INHERIT AN ESTATE. AND MONEY.
YES, FIVE OR SIX BILLION OR SO.
SHORTLY AFTERWARD THEY HEARD FROM A LONG LOST BROTHER.
OH IT'S MY BROTHER CHES! HE'S AT THE AIRPORT AND WANTS US TO FLY WITH HIM TO HIS ESTATE.
OKAY CHES! FINE! GREAT!
A LONG AIR JOURNEY CARRIED THE EXCITED FAMILY TO AN ISLAND JUNGLE AND A FRIEND FROM HOME.
WHO YOU FELLOW? WHY MISTAH BUNGLE!
EDGAR! JO, IT'S EDGAR, OUR OLD JANITOR FROM 4TH AVENUE. EDGAR!
WHEN THEY MET DISAPPOINTMENT AND A MAN NOT INCLINED TO BE TOO TALKATIVE ABOUT A PARTNER.
OH YOU'RE NOT CHES, ARE YOU?
WARD IS GONE, CLEARED OUT AFTER SELLING HIS INTEREST TO ME AND... BY JINGO! A PRETTY GIRL!
3-25 REG. U.S. PAT. OFF.

JOE PALOOKA Bon Voyage By Ham Fisher

PLEASE MISS HOWE, TELL US THE TRUTH.
ARE YOU GOING TO MARRY THE CHAMP ABROAD?
TURN SIDEWAYS MISS HOWE — THERE.
YOU SHIP'S NEWS BOYS ARE MORE INQUISITIVE THAN MONKEYS. OH DEAR.
YES, WE ARE GOING TO MARRY. BUT NOT ABROAD. I PROMISED MOTHER I'D BRING HIM BACK ALIVE FOR A BIG EXPENSIVE CEREMONY. SILLY BUT TRUE.
SWELLEST PERSON WE INTERVIEW.
PLEASE GIVE OUR REGARDS TO PALOOKA.
YOU'RE A PEACH.
BON VOYAGE.
NOW YOU SIT RIGHT UP THERE ON MY BUREAU MY FELLA, YOU MONKEY FACE.
GAD MAN, EXQUISITE. KNOW WHO SHE IS? WHAT A BREAK TO BE ON SHIP BOARD WITH HER.
IT'S ANN HOWE. YOU HAVEN'T A CHANCE MY LAD. SHE'S PALOOKA'S!
3-25
HAM FISHER

DIXIE DUGAN Constitution? By J. P. McEvoy and J. H. Striebel

DIXIE HAS BEEN ELECTED PRESIDENT OF THE NEW CLUB (FOR THE MOMENT, KNOWN AS THE "AUNTY AND UNCLE" CLUB), AND IN SHORT ORDER WILBUR IS ELECTED VICE-PRESIDENT, MICKEY SECRETARY AND "HANK" FITZROY TREASURER.
3-25.
NOW, MADAME PRESIDENT, WHEN YOU START UP A CLUB IT'S LIKE WHEN YOU START UP A CAR — THE FIRST THING IS TO DECIDE EXACTLY WHERE YOU'RE GOING! SO I MOVE THAT TH' CHAIR APPOINT A COMMITTEE O' THREE—HERSELF AN' TWO OTHERS—TO DRAW UP A CONSTITUTION —
ALL IN FAVOR SAY OKEY-DOKEY
SECONDED!
WELL, THEN— BESIDES MYSELF— I APPOINT—UH— MISS WELLMORE AN' MISTER FITZROY
AW—CAN'T YOU APPOINT AN EXTRA FELLA FOR ME SO WE'LL HAVE TWO COUPLES?
TO THOSE WHO SUBMITTED NAMES FOR THE CLUB THANKS! — BUT IT WILL TAKE SEVERAL WEEKS TO SELECT THE WINNERS, SO WATCH FOR ANNOUNCEMENTS LATER!
J. FRIEDEL
McNaught Syndicate, Inc., N. Y.

THE GUMPS *Now on the Radio—Post Comics—WMAL, Sundays, 8:45 a. m.* Ho-Hum!

CAN YOU IMAGINE THOSE DE STROSSES TRYING TO TALK BIM INTO MORE LIFE INSURANCE, ANDY? HE MUST HAVE OVER HALF A MILLION DOLLARS WORTH ALREADY—AND STILL THEY WANT HIM TO TAKE OUT MORE— JUST THINK OF ALL THAT MONEY—
GOSH! WHAT I COULD DO WITH MY BRAINS AND A BANK-ROLL LIKE HIS—
WHAT WOULD YOU DO IF YOU HAD HIS MONEY AND YOUR BRAINS?
WHAT WOULD I DO? WELL—NOW WHAT DO YOU SUPPOSE I'D DO?
I KNOW EXACTLY WHAT YOU'D DO— THE SAME AS A LOT OF OTHER FOOLS HAVE DONE, WHO GOT A LITTLE MONEY AND THOUGHT THEY HAD BRAINS— YOU'D BLOW IN THE FIRST, AND WHEN THAT WAS GONE, YOU'D BLOW OUT THE SECOND—
3-25
SIDNEY SMITH

DICK TRACY The Press

SCENE: THE MAYOR'S OFFICE...
THE REPORTERS ARE HERE, MR. MAYOR.
SEND THEM IN.
WHAT ARE YOU DOING ABOUT THE BORIS ARSON JAIL BREAK?
ARE YOU OUSTING CHIEF BRANDON?
ARE YOU GOING TO CLEAN OUT THE POLICE DEPARTMENT?
NEITHER IS THE POLICE DEPARTMENT BEING CLEANED OUT, NOR IS CHIEF BRANDON BEING OUSTED! READ THIS SIGNED STATEMENT, GENTLEMEN!
GEEMINY WHIZ! DETECTIVE DICK TRACY TAKES FULL BLAME FOR ARSON'S ESCAPE, STATING IT WAS HE WHO LET ARSON HAVE FOOD TO COOK IN HIS CELL, AND ALSO THE POTATO FROM WHICH THE CRIMINAL WHITTLED A GUN.
THEN TRACY IS OUT?
AS A MEMBER OF THE DETECTIVE FORCE, MR TRACY IS THROUGH!
3-25

WINNIE WINKLE, the Breadwinner Paste in the Mouth

ALTHOUGH WINNIE HAS BEEN WORKING AS A SECRETARY IN A THEATRICAL BOOKING OFFICE, SHE HAS TAKEN UP THE OFFER OF A TEMPORARY JOB WITH A MUSICAL COMEDY SHOW TROUPE, NOW IN REHEARSAL...
I'LL HAVE TO HURRY TO GET TO THE THEATRE ON TIME! THERE'S GOING TO BE A DRESS REHEARSAL TODAY IN MAKE-UP!
I'M NOT VERY FAMILIAR WITH PUTTING ON THIS MAKE-UP. BUT IT CAN'T BE VERY HARD TO APPLY!!
I DIDN'T KNOW THIS STUFF COMES IN TUBES! AND IT FEELS AWFULLY STICKY!!
SAY WINNIE, DID YOU SEE A SMALL TUBE OF GLUE I LEFT HERE ON TH' MAKE-UP SHELF?
???
MAR. 25
BRANNER

Three Men and Diana

By Kathleen Norris.

Diana Carmichael's grandmother kept a boarding house down where the town trailed out into empty lots and railway fences. Diana suffered at being poor but she found happiness when she met Bruce Palmer, and fell in love with him. Then she met Neal Tressady, who fell desperately in love, but Diana did not. Soon after this Bruce appeared again. Diana forgot Neal in the ecstasy of her reunion with Bruce, but he soon left to live in Paris. Fortunately sickness proved a counter-irritant to the pain in her heart. Upon her recovery she married the ever-persistent Neal and they moved to Hollywood, where Neal obtained a job in the movies, and fell in love with Deidre Dean, the famous star, and left Diana. She obtained a divorce. When Bruce returned to take over his sick father's duties in the firm of Rowley & Palmer, he was surprised to find Diana working there. They were married by a young clergyman Bruce had met on the train. Only Diana's father knew of their marriage.

ONE soft, foggy Friday in February she and her father went out to the acquarium. They took their lunch, hoping that the weather would clear, but the day remained bleak, and unfriendly cold airs blew along the bare park walks, and Diana decided that they had better take their sandwiches home again and have a cup of hot tea with their meal.

But for an hour or two they might as well drift along, looking at the crabs and the seals, and the fish that swept down toward the gray glass of the tanks, swept effortlessly away again.

Staring at them abstractedly, Diana said some word aloud, and her father turned his grizzled head toward her in interrogation.

"Did you say something, my dear?"

"I was thinking aloud." She smiled, seemed to shake herself together. "I don't know what I said!" she apologized.

But in another moment she had fallen into a brown study again.

Bruce Need Not Know.

Slowly, sickeningly, the conviction forced itself on her. That was it, was it? She had thought of this possibility in the first weeks of her first marriage; had thought of it in the first weeks of her second marriage. Then she had dismissed it from her mind.

Now it was back again, in the forefront of her thoughts, insistent, unanswerable fact.

Diana and her father had their luncheon in the little dining nook, with hot cocoa to embellish the cold food; then Diana, feeling suddenly limp and broken, lay down for a while.

It was a relief to awaken suddenly from an uneasy doze and find that she must instantly set about dinner preparations. Diana, putting sweet potatoes into the oven to bake, carefully opening a round flat cheese in silver foil, setting a dainty table, thought that she would not share her suspicions with Bruce tonight. Time enough later.

To See Polo Match.

Activity helped her to feel better; the lights helped her. She splashed her face bracingly with cold water and brushed her hair into damp order.

Her father returned with the evening paper, and shortly afterward Bruce was there, taking off his big overcoat, laughingly snipping a raisin from the bunch and a little cracker from the pan, kissing her eyes and hair and the tip of her ear, shocking the breath out of her.

While she went to and fro he glanced at the paper.

"Di, want to see me play polo Sunday?"

"Oh, are you going to?"

"Have to. Harris has wrenched his arm; he's no good."

"I'd love to, Bruce. Who's going?"

"Mother isn't, but the girls are—Patsy and Con. Listen, I've got to be home Sunday night, and I've got to go to a dinner tomorrow night."

"Oh, how rotten!"

"But here's what I'm going to do: I'll dress here for tomorrow's dinner, and be here all night, and Sunday we can have breakfast together."

"Bother for you?"

"Bother? What do you think I want to do! Will it be all right for you? Listen, Di can your father hear me?"

"No, he's taking a bath. He always chooses the ten minutes right before dinner to take a bath. What is it?"

"Old Newbegin came over this morning, and we went off and played golf together."

"Connie's father?"

"Yep. And d'you know the proposition the old man put up to me?"

"What?"

His Mother Approved.

"He as good as said that if Con and I made a go of it he'd put one hundred grand of her money into the firm."

A pause.

"What firm?" Diana asked then.

"Rowley & Palmer."

She came in to stand nearer him. "Does the firm need money, Bruce?"

"You bet your life it needs money."

"Did your mother say anything about it?" Diana asked, coming in with the pitcher to fill the glasses.

"Yep, she was talking to me about it at lunch."

"Well, what do they think you are, Bruce, to be bossed about that way!"

"My mother pulled a lot about my father being ill—all that."

"I suppose so." Diana could return to the kitchen quite composedly; they didn't make any impression on Bruce with all this. But it was humiliating, somehow, too—

A Strange Story.

Presently, she heard him laughing, and her annoyance lessened. Nothing much worrying him!

"What's funny?"

"An article in this paper. It's about some clergyman—one of those modern lads who are always advertising themselves. It seems he preached a sermon on the text: 'Who am I? What am I Doing? Where am I Going?' and the paper says that the Alameda County police answered it by saying, 'You are So-and-So. You are pretending to be a minister of the Associated Church. And you are going to jail.'"

"Oh, Bruce, that's delicious!"

"I thought the smartness of the reporter was good, handling it that way."

"I wonder if papa saw it. He loves silly little odds and ends like that." Diana put the smoking steak on the table and Bruce stood up to attack it as she groped about for the scattered sheets of the newspaper. "Papa did you happen to see that article about some clergyman in the News?"

Suspicion Aroused.

"I don't know's I did," her father said, falling upon his meal with gusto.

"Here it is! Listen to this, Papa."

But she did not read it immediately. Instead she said in an odd, bewildered voice:

"Bruce! Did—you notice? He's got the same name as our clergyman!"

"How d'you mean?" Bruce demanded.

"Robin Purcell. Don't you remember your clergyman friend on the train, Robin Purcell?"

"Let's see." He had the paper in his hands; Diana watched his face.

"That's a funny note!" Bruce said, as if to himself.

"But Bruce—you knew him?"

"We played bridge together," Bruce said absently, his eyes on the printed lines. "And he was a seminary man, and all that. He told me he was going to be assistant rector at St. Jerome's."

"Yes—that's sure! He was there, wasn't he?" Diana exclaimed eagerly. "You could telephone there, couldn't you?" He can't be the same!"

"Dont worry. We were married all right," Bruce said. "If there was any funny business about it, we can do it right over."

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To be Continued Tomorrow.

Textile Union Gives Warning Of Silk Strike

Gorman Charges Violation of Code and Terms of Settlement.

By the Associated Press.

The United Textile Workers added a silk strike warning yesterday to threats of walk-outs next week in two of the Nation's greatest industries, soft coal and automobiles.

Unless the silk mill operators cease from violating their code and last fall's strike settlement, said Francis J. Gorman, Textile Union vice president, there would be a silk strike "Not because we want it, but because we shall have no other recourse."

A committee of Appalachian Soft Coal operators and United Mine Workers officials have just a week to draw up new wage and hour contracts to avoid a Nation-wide bituminous strike.

Negotiations Fruitless.

Not a miner will enter the coal shafts April 1 unless the new contracts have been drawn by that time, John L. Lewis, mine union chief, declares.

More than a month of negotiations so far have produced little progress toward an agreement. The miners ask a 50-cent increase in their basic daily wage and a cut in hours from 35 to 30. The operators offer renewal of present contracts for one year.

Whether the American Federation of Labor will try to tie up the auto industry in an effort to get rid of the Wolman auto labor board and its policies will be determined at a conference here Thursday.

Francis Dillon, federation organizer in Detroit, is to come here to report to William Green, federation president, the results of a strike vote recently taken among A. F. of L. employes in the industry.

"Terrific Drop" in Wage.

The Labor Department's report on silk and rayon wages and hours from April, 1933, to August, 1934, made in accordance with the strike settlement last fall, brought Gorman's statement.

"Outstanding among these findings is the terrific drop in the average wage, from the former level of a $21 weekly average wage (1925-29), to that of $11.20 in April, 1933, and the relatively slight increases since then," he said.

"Since the making of the investigation upon which the report is based was completed there have been further additions to the work load and further reductions in pay in New England and other silk centers.

"Of course that means that these mills have evaded the executive order creating the work assignment boards. * * *

"I want to say this: Unless the employers are willing to wait for the findings of the work assignment boards there will be a strike in the silk industry, not because we want it but because we shall have no other recourse."

The Federal Diary

(Trade-Mark Applied For.)

By Morgan Baker.

PERSONS desiring transfers are invited to write the essential details of their present position and the cities or departments to which they wish to go. This is a part of the information service of the Federal Diary. Numerous transfers have been effected through this column to the mutual satisfaction of all parties concerned.

BAKER.

The following is a new list of employes seeking transfers:

Clerk-stenographer, $1,620, Federal Trade Commission, desires transfer to Pacific Coast, preferably Portland, Oreg.

Junior calculating machine operator, CAF-2, Treasury, desires exchange to similar position in Boston or Springfield, Mass.

Junior clerk-stenographer, $1,440, Agricultural Adjustment Administration, desires transfer to New York.

Clerk-typist, CAF-2, Department of Justice, desires transfer to Jacksonville, Fla.

Junior clerk, CAF-2, $1,440, AAA, desires transfer to St. Louis or Chicago or to some other department in Washington that will lead to a field position.

Clerk, $1,680, will accept lower salary if necessary to be transferred to New York. Would exchange with clerk-typist or clerk-stenographer.

Junior stenographer, CAF-2, $1,440, Farm Credit Administration, desires transfer to Syracuse, N. Y.

Stenographer, Internal Revenue, desires transfer to Montgomery, Ala., or New Orleans—preferably the latter.

Clerk-typist, CAF-2B, War Department, desires transfer or exchange to New York.

Stenographer, CAF-3, $1,680, desires transfer to the Middle West.

Stenographer desires transfer to Montgomery, Ala.

Junior clerk-typist, $1,440, desires transfer to Louisville, Ky., or Jeffersonville or New Albany, Ind.

Clerk-stenographer, CAF-4, $1,800, Treasury, desires transfer to St. Paul or Minneapolis. Would consider lower salary if necessary.

Clerk-stenographer, CAF-5, desires transfer to Boston, New York, Buffalo, Chicago, Minneapolis, Seattle or Detroit. Would consider CAF-3.

Stenographer - clerk - draftsman, $1,440, War Department, desires transfer to Governors Island, N. Y.

The Government Printing Office Intersectional Baseball League will hold its first meeting at 4:30 p. m. Tuesday in the Green Room to organize. All sections interested in competing are invited to send representatives. Games will be played Saturday mornings. Rules for the league and probably the schedule will be outlined at the meeting.

Diary Guest Tickets.

IF F, P or C follows your name in this column, call in person on the Federal Diary editor between 12 and 2:30 p. m. today. You will receive tickets to one of the following Loew's theaters: (F) Loew's Fox (Stage, Herb Williams, Danny Dare Dancers and other acts; screen, Maurice Chevalier and Merle Oberon in "Folies Bergere"); or to (P) Loew's Palace (Will Rogers, Richard Cromwell and Jane Darwell in "Life Begins at 40"); or to (C) Loew's Columbia (Edmund Lowe and Victor McLaglen in "Under Pressure").

Edwin A. Westland (F), Internal Revenue, won a prize from the Palais Royal for naming one of the store's display rooms "Studies in Furniture Harmony."

Pay Urged for Overtime.

Pay for overtime work was urged by W. W. Richardson, personnel officer, General Accounting Office, who testified at the resumed hearings on the Sirovich bill before the House Civil Service sub-committee. Mr. Richardson indorsed the various features of the Sirovich bill. He said there are 2,672 employes at G. A. O. and 2,200 are under civil service. He added that there is now no overtime work at G. A. O.

William McCauley, personnel officer, Employes Compensation Commission, also indorsed the principles of the Sirovich bill, notably the appeals board set up and the change in the efficiency rating system. He suggested that where employes are disabled in line of duty and later recover, and where work of the type they had previously done was not available, they might be given preference for civil service jobs.

Dr. William I. Sirovich, chairman of the select committee, said in the course of the hearing that he expected Government employes to have direct representation on the Civil Service Commisison in the near future and on other personnel agencies, particularly the appeals board.

Dr. Sirovich lauded the efforts of the American Federation of Government Employes to obtain better personnel conditions for employes.

Symphony Fund Raised.

Lovers of music in Bureau of Biological Survey are contributing to the National Symphony fund, hoping to set an example for other Government offices to follow.

Leading the impromptu drive in the bureau is Howard Zahniser (P), Public Relation Division, who reports $50 in sight. Mr. Zahniser says the office originally set $25 as the goal, but contributions came in so enthusiastically the goal was raised. J. N. (Ding) Darling, bureau chief, backed his indorsement of the orchestra's campaign with a generous contribution.

Employes of Biological Survey advocates more concerts for children, pointing out that they do not hear enough classical music over the radio.

If I Had Thirty Days.

I'd take a little trip out West,
Then use a couple days for rest,
And do my work with much more zest
If I had thirty days.

I'd use a couple mornings for
The things I used to do before,
And take up playing golf once more
If I had thirty days.

I'd often take an hour or two
To do the things I needed to,
Instead of dreaming what I'd do,
If I had thirty days.

A. CHASANOW (F),
Hydrographic Office, Navy.

Seamen Set for Fight With Strike Breakers

San Pedro, Calif., March 24 (U.P.). Striking oil tanker seamen tonight were prepared to fight—with violence if necessary—efforts of operators to put strike breakers aboard 11 idle oil tankers in Los Angeles harbor tomorrow.

All seamen available for picket duty were summoned by strike headquarters, with officials of the Masters, Mates and Pilots Association, and the Marine Engineers Union, ready to co-operate in any move to keep non-union men off the vessels affected by the strike. Oil company officials indicated they will begin recruiting men to move their vessels out of port tomorrow.

TIRED and IRRITABLE

WHO wouldn't be cross when periodic pain was dragging her down? Relieve the pain and discomfort by taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Tablets. All druggists sell them.

Mrs. Marion Sidor of Chicago says: "I was very tired and irritable. I had severe pains and terrible headaches periodically. My husband bought me your Tablets and they helped me wonderfully."

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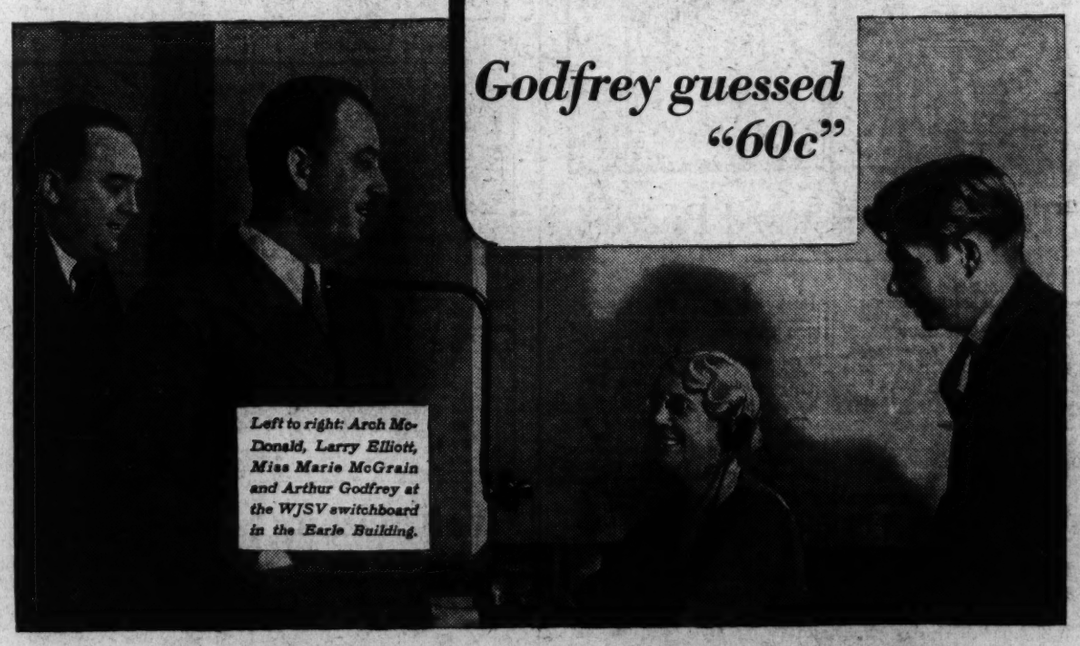
McDonald guessed "55c"

Elliott guessed "75c"

Godfrey guessed "60c"

QUESTION WAS:
"What Does It Cost to Call Richmond From Washington, Station-to-Station Rate, After 8:30 p. m.?"



Left to right: Arch McDonald, Larry Elliott, Miss Marie McGrain and Arthur Godfrey at the WJSV switchboard in the Earle Building.

THE CORRECT ANSWER IS 35c

THESE MEN know their radio, but like almost everybody else they're 'way high when it comes to out-of-town telephone rates after 8:30 p. m.

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Atlantic City, N. J.	.45	Detroit, Mich.	1.00	Montreal, Can.	1.15	Richmond, Va.	.35
Baltimore, Md.	.30	Easton, Md.	.35	Nashville, Tenn.	1.30	Salisbury, Md.	.35
Boston, Mass.	.95	Frederick, Md.	.35	New Orleans, La.	2.00	St. Louis, Mo.	1.50
Buffalo, N. Y.	.80	Fredericksburg, Va.	.35	New York, N. Y.	.60	Virginia Beach, Va.	.50
Charleston, W. Va.	.75	Hagerstown, Md.	.35	Norfolk, Va.	.50	Warrenton, Va.	.35
Charlottesville, Va.	.40	Harrisburg, Pa.	.35	Ocean City, Md.	.40	Wheeling, W. Va.	.60
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